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RICHARD I. MANNING IS RE-NOMINATED IN S. CAROLINA PRIMARY

Returns Indicate Cole L. Blease is Defeated for Governor by 3,000 to 7,000 Majority.

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It is Confidently Asserted Points to be Heard From Can Not Change the Result.

CANSLER WINS OVER FANT

Representative Aiken Seems to Have Been Renominated.

Columbia, S. C., September 12.—Nearly complete returns late tonight from South Carolina's "run off" Democratic primary indicated that Governor Richard I. Manning has been renominated over former Governor Cole L. Blease by a majority estimated at between 3,000 and 7,000 votes. With about 129,000 votes reported out of a registration of little more than 150,000, the figures give Manning 67,467 and Blease 62,390. It was confidently asserted that the boxes still to be heard from could not change the result.

Cansler for Railroad Commissioner

Late returns show that James Cansler has been nominated for railroad commissioner over Albert Fant by a majority of 20,000. Representative Wyatt Aiken, of the Third congressional district, seemed to have been defeated by F. H. Dominick in a close race.

In the first primary held August 29 former Governor Blease ran some 24,000 votes ahead of Governor Manning but failed to get a majority in the race in which five candidates took part. Robert A. Cooper, of Laurens, polled a large vote in the first primary and tonight's returns indicated that the bulk of this went to Governor Manning in the second contest.

STATE-WIDE PRIMARY WAS ALSO HELD IN LOUISIANA

New Orleans, September 12. — Incomplete returns from today's statewide primary showed former Governor J. Y. Sanders leading Ames L. Ponder, by less than 100 votes, for the nomination for Congressman from the sixth district, but there are enough isolated small precincts yet unheard from to swing the victory to either candidate.

Scattering returns from the seventh district indicated that the incumbent, L. Lazaro, had been nominated for congressman from that district over T. A. Edwards and A. M. Barbe.

Scattering returns from but a few of the precincts in the Second Judicial district show Robert Roberts to have a substantial lead over R. B. Dawkins, for the nomination as judge of the state court of appeals from that district.

ADVISES THE PRESIDENT TO CALL AN EXTRA SESSION

Says Without Vote of Women Maine Election Forecasts Defeat.

Chicago, September 22. — Miss Alice Paul, chairman of the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage, today issued a statement on the Maine election, in which she said:

"The overwhelming defeat of the Democratic forces in Maine indicates how necessary to Mr. Wilson will be the ninety-one electoral votes in the 12 western states where woman votes, to enable him to win in November.

"We suggest to Mr. Wilson that he take heed before it is too late and call a special session of Congress to pass the national woman suffrage amendment. Only in this way can he hope to avert the vote against him and his party in these 12 doubtful western states by the members of the Woman's Party."

TO ATTEMPT LONG FLIGHT

Victor Carlstrom to Try to Fly From Buffalo to Newport News.

Newport News, Va., Sept. 12.—Captain Thomas S. Baldwin, head of the Atlantic Coast Aeronautical station, tonight announced that Aviator Victor Carlstrom will fly from Buffalo to here within the next week in an attempt to establish a world's cross country flight record. Carlstrom will be accompanied by Allan R. Hawley, president of the Aero Club of America. The flight will be made as soon as weather conditions permit.

SALARY INCREASES APPLIED TO THE FISCAL YEAR OF 1915

Unexpended Balance to go to Rural Mail Carriers as Back Pay.

Washington, Sept. 12.—Salary increases for rural mail carriers, provided for under the last postoffice bill, will be applied to the fiscal year of 1915. Postmaster General Burleson secured authorization from the Camptroller of the Treasury today for use of the unexpended balance of the 1915 appropriation as back pay to carriers to make up the difference between the new scale and the one then effective.

DORSEY LEADS IN GEORGIA PRIMARY

Has Large Plurality Over All Three Opponents in Race for Governorship.

BROWN IS LEADING PRICE

Dorsey Believed to Have Enough Convention Votes to Nominate—All Congressmen Seeking Re-Nomination Leading Opponents.

Atlanta, Ga., September 12.—Incomplete returns from 108 of the 152 counties in Georgia for governor gave Burney 35,014, Harris 22,045, Hardman, 7,942 and Pottle 2,832. If the same ratio is maintained in complete returns from these counties, Dorsey has 158 votes in the convention, Harris 64, Hardman 6 and Pottle four. These returns clearly indicate the election of Dorsey on the first ballot in the convention.

The exceptionally long ticket, including 14 aspirants for three places on court of appeals and full tickets for other state house offices, made the count very slow and it was far from complete tonight.

The convention vote necessary for nomination is 192.

Comptroller W. A. Wright was leading E. P. Dobbs by 26 convention votes to 16. In the race for commissioner of agriculture, which was one of the most hotly contested in the primary, J. J. Brown was leading the incumbent, J. D. Price, having gained 26 out of the 38 convention votes in the 1rst counties reporting. State Treasurer W. J. Speer was leading W. J. Eakes in 13 of the 31 counties reported.

The Georgia nominees will be selected at a convention in Macon, September 26. Each county has twice the representation in the convention that it has in the State House of Representatives. A plurality in the county carries the convention vote.

Early returns from the congressional races indicated the return of all eleven members of the present delegation seeking re-election. In the fire district, where Representative C. G. Edwards did not offer for re-election, J. W. Overstreet was leading P. W. Meldrim by a close margin.

Representative Frank Park was leading E. E. Cox by 116 on scattering returns in the second district; C. R Crisp led T. G. Hudson by 790 in the third; W. S. Howard led R. B. Blackburn by 121 in the fifth; Gordon Lee led T. W. Hardin by 498 in the seventh; S. J. Tribble led T. G. Brown by 709 in the eighth; T. M. Bell had a majority of 130 over R. B. Russell in the ninth. In the eleventh district where there were three candidates, the early scattering returns gave Congressman J. Randall Walker a good lead over W. S. Thomas and J. R. T. Bowden.

Representatives W. C. Adamson, in the fourth; J. W. Wise in the sixth; Carl Vinson in the tenth, and D. M. Hughes in the twenfth districts, were unopposed.

WELCOME INVESTIGATION

Bakers Willing to Have Fullest Inquiry Into Cost of Bread.

Columbus, Ohio, September 12.—S. F. McDonald, president of the National Association of Master Bakers, today announced in a telegram to T. T. Frankenberg, representative of the association in this city, that the bakers welcomed the fullest federal investigation into the cause of the proposed increase in the price of bread. The statement is in reply to information from Chicago, that the city and federal authorities would institute such an investigation. Mr. McDonald said:

"If Federal authorities can and will decrease the cost or flour, the baker need not act. Otherwise he must get more for his output or go out of business."

TO PUSH TEN-CENT LOAF

Bakers of Indianapolis Prefer That to the Five-Cent Loaf.

Indianapaolis, Ind., Sept. 12.—Ten-cent bread will be pushed by bakers in Indiana in preference to the five-cent loaf, according to a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Indiana Association of Master Bakers here today. The question of discontinuance of the smaller sized loaf is optional with the individual bakers, but those present at the meeting expressed the belief that within the next sixty days it will be a thing of the past.

MANNING'S RE-NOMINATION CONSIDERED A CERTAINTY

Columbia, Sept. 13.—At 1 o'clock this morning, with something more than 132,000 votes tabulated the renomination of Governor Richard I. Manning over Cole L. Blease, counting the vote of the National Guardsmen on the border, was 4,652, the vote being 68,926 to 64,274. There remains only 84 small precincts uncounted.

F. H. Dominick, of Newberry, was nominated for congressman from the third district, his vote being 12,762 to 10,298 for Wyatt Aiken, the incumbent.

PRESIDENT LENDS PERSONAL TOUCH

Exchanges Calls With the Carranza Members of the American-Mexican Commission.

SIGNIFICANCE IN VISITS

First Time During His Administration That Mr. Wilson Has Dealt Personally With Representatives of Mexico.

New London, Conn., Sept. 12.—President Wilson lent his personal touch today to aid the efforts of the American-Mexican Joint Commission in seeking a permanent foundation of sympathy and understanding upon which may rest the future relations of the United States and Mexico.

Putting aside for one hour his own cares and his vigil at the bedside of his sister, who is dying here, Mr. Wilson exchanged calls with Gen. Carranza's representatives. It was the first time during his administration that the executive had dealth personally with a representation of the Mexican de facto government, and the significance of this fact was not lost upon either the American or Mexican commissioners.

Expresses Sympathy With Mexico.

For the first time also representatives of General Carranza received directly from the man in whose hands perhaps lies the fate of their country his statement of sympathy with the aims of the revolution which has torn Mexico.

The regeneration of the stricken nation must come from within, Mr. Wilson said; and, in answer for his colleagues, and himself, Louis Cabrera, Carranza's minister of finance and chairman of the Mexican delegation, asserted that his country was struggling toward the light of free and democratic government.

Mr. Wilson laid great stress, it was learned, on the point as the present conference upon which both Secretary Lansing and Secretary Lane centered their remarks at the first meeting of the commissioners in New York—the protection of American lives and property in Mexico.

The President said he hoped the commission would be successful in finding a solution for its problems which would insure the security of Americans, not only along the border, but in any part of Mexico.

The meeting was arranged when the President arrived yesterday. A message of sympathy from Mr. Cabrera and his associates was carried to Mr. Wilson by Secretary Lane, chairman of the American commission. The message contained the hope also that the Mexican representatives might pay their respects to the President in person before the returned home. The executive signified his wish to meet the Mexican delegation at once.

Party Goes Aboard Mayflower.

Accompanied by the three American delegates, the Mexican party was taken to the Mayflower. The visitors were received with full naval honors, except that the salute was omitted. A brief exchange of greetings took place in the President's saloon, Secretary Lane introducing his Mexican conferees.

Within fifteen minutes after the Mexican commissioners had returned to the hotel where the conferences are taking place, the President's barge conveyed the executive from the Mayflower on a return visit. At the hotel pier he was met by Secretary Lane, Judge Gray and John R. Mott, the American commissioners, and escorted to a great sun parlor, where the Mexican representatives awaited him. For half an hour the President and the six commissioners chatted informally.

Discusses Mexican Revolution.

The President went directly to the subject of the Mexican revolution. He was(he said, more familiar than his hearers perhaps realized with the fundamental principles of the struggle for free government in Mexico. He assured them of his deep sympathy with those aims, adding that right-thinking men all over the world must sympathize with such high aspirations.

From the brief statement he made, the Mexican commissioners realized that the President had kept in personal touch with all that is taking place beyond the border.

Mr. Cabrera, in his reply, referred to the United States as leader of the movement for free government and as the tutor to whom Mexico must look in striving for the type of government its people sought. Much has been done, he said, but much also remained to be accomplished before the aims of the revolutionists could be achieved.

Report on Political Events

In the morning hours, before the exchange of visits, the joint commission considered reports submitted by the Mexican members as to the political events which brought their de facto government into power. In effect, the story which they are presenting is that of Carranza's battle with Villa and Zapata, for it begins with the Aguas Calientes convention of military leaders of the revolution in 1914, the failure of which to provide a satisfactory form of civil government was followed by the new civil war.

The commission will resume deliberations tomorrow and probably will contine its review of Mexican politics. Major General Tasker H. Bliss, assistant chief of staff of the army, who has been summoned by Secretary Lane for conference with the American commissioners, is expected to arrive here tomorrow. It is regarded as unlikely that the commission will again discuss the immediate border situation until his opinions and informaton have been obtained.

PLANS TO RETURN TO SHADOW LAWN

President Informed Mrs. Howe May Linger in Present Condition for Several Days.

HER RECOVERY HOPELESS

Physicians Advise Mr. Wilson to Remain no Longer as His Sister Will be Unable to Recognize Him. His Work Accumulating.

New London, Conn., Sept. 12.—President Wilson decided tonight to return to his summer home, Shadow Lawn Long Branch, N. J., tomorrow morning. He was advised by physicians attending his sister, Mrs. Annie E. Howe, who is critically ill here, and constantly under the influence of opiates, that she might linger in her present condition for several days.

The President, it was announced, plans to return here if there is a definite turn for the worse in Mrs. Howe's condition.

The President expects to leave here on the yacht Mayflower. No definite hour has been set for his departure. Mrs. Wilson will accompany him.

After a consultation with Dr. H. M. Lee, Dr. Edward P. Davis, of Philadelphia, tonight issued the following statement:

"Mrs. Howe's physicians have advised the President that she will no longer be able to recognise him clearly or comprehend his visits, as she must be kept almost constantly under the influence of opiates. While Mrs. Howe cannot recover her life many continue for several days or more, and in view of these facts and the urgent duties developing upon the President, the physicians have advised him to remain no longer. It is the President's intention to join Mrs. Howe's children at the earliest possible moment when the end of her illness comes. In her weak condition, the visits of relatives and friends so excite her that from now on no one will be allowed to converse with her."

The President expressed deep concern over his sister's condition tonight when informed by the physicians that it was impossible for her to recover.

During the day the President received word from Shadow Lawn that an accummulation of work awaited him there and this finally led him to decide to follow the advice of the physicians. His brother, Joseph R. Wilson, of Baltimore, and his daughter, Miss Margaret Wilson, will remain within call, so that they may be with Mrs. Howe at the end, if possible.

IS MOVING NORTHWEST.

Disturbance Last Night Was Centered Off Florida East Coast.

Washington, September 12. — Reports to the Weather Bureau tonight showed that the disturbance reported off the Bahamas Monday afternoon had moved northwest and tonight its center was off the East Coast of Florida. It has been attended by storms, shifting winds and rains on the South Atlantic coast. Storm warnings are displayed from the Virginia capes to Jupiter Inlet, Fla.

FOUR PER CENT RATE

On Discount of Fifteen Day Maturities for Richmond Reserve Bank

Washington, Sept. 12.—The Federal Reserve Board today approved a discount rate of four per cent for 15 day maturities for the Richmond Reserve Bank.

SEVERAL STEAMSHIPS ARE REPORTED SUNK

One Spanish and Three Norwegian Vessels Sent Down.

Dutch Steamer Picks Up Crew of the Luis Vives—Four Members of the Crew of the Polynesia Are Missing.

London, Sept. 12.—The sinking of the Spanish steamer Luiz Vives is announced by Lloyd's Shipping Agency. Her crew was saved by the Dutch steamer Krakautau, of Amsterdam. Lloyd's also reports the sinking of the Norwegian steamers Furu, of 2,029 gross tons, of Bergen, and Fredavore, of 1,618 gross tons, of Farsund.

The steamer Luis Vives, of 2,394 tons, was owned in Valencia and sailed from Cardiff on August 26 for Algeria.

The Norwegian steamer Furu arrived at Bougie, Algeria, on August 6 from Newport. The Fredavore was last reported arriving at Newport from Seville, Spain, on August 14.

NORWEGIAN STEAMER SUNK WITH PART OF CREW MISSING

Penzance, Eng., Sept. 12.—The Norwegian steamer Polynesia has been sunk and her captain and 23 men of her crew have been landed here. Four other members of her crew who left the Polynesia in another boat are missing.

The Norwegian steamship Polynesia left New York on August 25 for London. She was of 4,064 gross tons and was owned in Laurvig.

OFFER REFUSED BY PRESIDENT SHONTS

Declines to Accept Recommendation to Call Off Strike and Arbitrate Differences.

MADE BY CITY OFFICIALS

Union Men Discuss Plans for Extending the Strike—Fatal Street Car Accident Being Investigated by Coroner.

New York, Sept. 12.—President Shonts, of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, announced tonight that he will not accept the recommendation of Mayor Mitchel and the public service commission to call off the strike and arbitrate the differences between the railway companies and the labor union.

After Mayor Mitchel and the public service commission had taken steps late today to terminate the transit strike in this city by urging that it be immediately declared off and that both sides arbitrate their differences, plans to continue and extend the strike were discussed tonight at a meeting of the United Labor Conference of the central bodies of Greater New York.

After the conference, Hugh Frayne, New York state organizer of the American Federation of Labor, issued a statement as follows:

"The consensus of opinion among the members of the various organizations represented was that the officials must be met with the sort of force they are applying to the men."

Frayne said the United Hebrew Trades were represented at the conference for the first time. These trades, it is said, have a membership of 200,000.

Representatives of the strikers tonight said they would not comment on the plans of the mayor and the public service commission to have the strike arbitrated until they appeared before the commission tomorrow.

An investigation started by the coroner after an accident in the Bronx this morning in which two persons were killed and many others injured when a car got beyond control of an inexperienced motorman and smashed into an automobile, revealed that many strikebreakers had been employed previously as truck men. Minor disturbances occurred at several places during the day.

Traffic on virtually all surface car lines affected by the strike was suspended again tonight. Subway and elevated train service continued about normal.

The crush of home-goers at the Grand Central station of the New York Central railroad early this evening was so great that 75 special detectives and fifty extra policemen were necessary to handle the crowds. Between 5 p. m. and 7 p. m. it was estimated 75,000 persons tried to reach trains at the terminal.

The attitude of Interborough Rapid Transit Company officials was shown this afternoon at a directors meeting when resolutions were passed approving the stand Theodore P. Shonts, the company's president, has taken in refusing to deal with "any labor organization which has broken any agreement with the company."

SHOWMAN IS POUNDED TO DEATH BY AN ELEPHANT

Several Thousand People Attending Circus, Witness Tragedy.

Kingsport, Tenn., September 12. — Watler Eldridge, 23 years old, was pounded to death against the ground by an elephant, of which he was assistant trainer, before a crowd of several thousand people here this afternoon.

Apparently without cause, the elephant, which Eldridge was leading to water just after the afternoon performance of a circus showing here, became infuriated, and seizing the victim in his trunk, began pounding him furiously against the ground and ending his life by stamping him. The crowd of horrified spectators became excited and a general stampede ensued, several women fainting. Shots fired into the animal's body by men in the crowd only increased his fury.

The animal was gotten under control only after his regular trainer arrived on the scene.

TO WITHDRAW TROOPS WHEN THE CONDITIONS JUSTIFY IT

Baker Says There is no Fixed Policy as to Maintaining Border Patrol

Washington, Sept. 12.—To set at rest rumors that various units of the National Guard soon were to be withdrawn from the border Secretary Baker reiterated today that there was no fixed policy regarding maintenance of the state troops there and that the length of their stay depended on the status of the border situation. He said they would be brought home as soon as they could be spared without increasing the danger to life and property in the border section.

ARRESTED FOR MURDER OF WEALTHY NEW YORK WIDOW

Said to Have Confessed Crime for Which Another Was Sentenced.

Ironwood, Mich., Sept. 12.—Arthur Waltenen, alias John Lind, a barber, was arrested here today for the murder of Mrs. Elizabeth Nichols, a New York widow, who was strangled to death in her home and money and jewelry to the value of $28,000 stolen. A servant in the house was sentenced to be electrocuted for the crime. Waltenen is said by the police to have confessed.

SAYS INTERESTS OF AMERICA NOT INFRINGED UPON

Japan Gives Assurances Demands On China Do Not Violate the Open Door Policy

OFFICIALS NOT SATISFIED

Are Uncertain Japan Is Not Magnifying Local Affair Into International Complication

Washington, Sept. 12.—The Japanese government has officially informed the United States through Ambassador Guthrie that while it has made important demand in connection with the recent clash at Cheng Chiatun, there is nothing in the representations infringing on American interests by violating the open door, Chinese integrity or the Root-Takahira agreement.

Whether the Washington government will accept these assurances as conclusive depends on the interpretation which Japan places on her demands as her negotiations with China proceed. Officials here are uncertain as to Japan's real intentions, though it was revealed today that in an inquiry on the subject, the Japanese foreign office was notified that the demands had "greatly disturbed the American government."

Demands Correctly Published.

Ambassador Guthrie reported the Japanese foreign minister confirmed the outline of the demands printed in this country as approximately true. A similar confirmation from the Chinese government was received during the day through American Minister Reinsch at Peking. Officials would not add to a State Department announcement summarizing these reports, but there was every indication that developments would be anxiously watched. It was pointed out that so far the entire negotiations were in a preliminary and indefinite stage.

The Japanese demands, as outlined to Ambassador Guthrie by the foreign minister, seek apologies, indemnification and installation of Japanese military advisers throughout South Manchuria and Eastern Mongolia and in the cadet school at Mukden, together with Japanese police wherever in those sections there are large Japanese settlements. These rights through this whole territory, with a population of nearly 8,000,000, are sought "to prevent a recurrence of such trouble" as the Cheng Chiatun incident, in which 17 Japanese and 50 Chinese soldiers were killed.

Real Purpose Causes Anxiety.

It is not the mere terms of the Japanese demands, however, which have been well established throughout, so much as their real purpose, that has caused anxiety here. If the recrudescence of Mongolian banditry in conjunction with a monarchist revolution has, as claimed, produced a condition of outlawry where Japanese lives are endangered officials are said to be willing to admit that Japan is as much justified in having troops in those sections as the United States is in having troops in Mexico. If, on the other hand, it develops that Japan is magnifying a small local disturbance into an international complication to exact political concessions, the United States is expected to object, holding that the integrity of China is being invaded.

In this connection, officials note the promptness with which the Japanese soldiers on the scene and the fact that a few days later troops quickly appeared when a similar difficulty broke out at Chaoyanpo, 75 miles inside the Mongolian border, and far away from any railroad concession where their presence is authorized.

Rights of Police International.

While the acts of reparation demanded are thought very severe and characterized by Peking as humiliating, officials point out that this is a matter between China and Japan only. But the right of police and military advisers are international. If Japan seeks merely an extension of extra territorial rights, officials assert that all other countries under the "most favored nation" clause may do ligewise. That merely would mean that all cases where a Japanese is a defendant would be tried by a Japanese court applying the local Chinese law.

If the demands are coupled with a "special rights clause," however, as previously reported, it is pointed out that Japan will practically share with China the administration of that whole section to the exclusion of all other powers. This probably would be interpreted here as a violation of the status quo as mutually guaranteed by this country and Japan in the Root-Takahira agreement and a step toward the destruction of Chinese integrity

Lansing Refuses Comment.

Secretary Lansing refused all comment today, even declining to indicate whether this government was satisfied with the reports from Peking and Tokio or would seek further information. From what has been said before, however, it is obvious that the United States will inquire further into the situation and follow developments with the closest scrutiny.

FAVOR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES

Florida Prohibitionists Meet and Endorse All Except Two Candidates

Jacksonville, Fla., Sept. 12.—All Democratic nominees for congressional and state offices, with the exception of congressman from the Third district and chief justice of the state supreme court, were endorsed by the Florida State Prohibition Convention in session here today.

FRENCH AGAIN ON OFFENSIVE NORTH OF SOMME RIVER

Capture Front Line and Other German Trenches and Take About 1,500 Prisoners

BULGARIANS LOSE GROUND

Are Reported to Have Evacuated the Forts at Kavala—Russian Attacks Repulsed

Resuming their offensive to the north of the Somme river in France the French forces have again smashed the German line, captured front line and other trenches and taken about 1,500 prisoners.

The new attacks, coming after several days of comparative calm in the region where for weeks past violent fighting has been in progress, were made on the front from the town of Combles to the river. So vicious was the thrust of the French that it required only half an hour for them to overcome the resistance of the Germans and make themselves masters of three and three-quarters miles of first line trenches.

German Transport Menaced

Later east and southeast of Combles they seized additional trenches along the Bethune-Peronne road, which leads from Peronne northward through Bapaume and Arras to Bethuns, placing a serious impediment in the way of the Germans for the movement of their transport from the north to Peronne and making the French position north of Perrone seemingly a menacing one.

On the British end of the front and on the remaider of the line held by the French only mutual bombardments took place.

Bulgar Trenches Captured.

All along the Macedonian front the heavy offensive of the Entente Allies continues. Bulgarian trenches on a front of two miles and to a depth of 800 yards are reported by Paris to have been captured by the French west of the Vardar river near Majadagh, which lies about four miles south of the town of Gievgeli. On the Struma front the British, aided by the French, have made additional gains east of the river in the Lake Takinos region. The army of the Teutonic Allies is declared to have suffered heavy casualties in the latter engagement.

Kavala Reported Evacuated

Unofficial reports are to the effect that the Bulgarians have evacuated the forts at Kavala, on the Aegean Sea, which they captured in August. While the presence of Entente Allied warships off the town is given as the reason for the withdrawal, it is not improbable that the menace of the new drive of the British and French along the Struma front may have been partly responsible for it. Berlin reports further progress for the German and Bulgarian forces under command of Field Marshal von Mackensen in the Dobrudja region of eastern Rumania.

Russian Attacks Repulsed.

Attacks by the Russians in East Galicia and on the lower Stokhod river in Russia have been repulsed by the Austro-German forces, according to Berlin and Vienna. Petrograd reports that in the Carpathians the Russians have captured several additional strategic positions, but Vienna denies the assertion and declares that all attacks there were repulsed.

The usual bombardments and small skirmishes continue in the Austro-Italian theatre. The Turks and Russians are still at grips in Asiatic Turkey with both sides claiming successes.

CHAMPION LUMBER COMPANY IS THROWN INTO BANKRUPTCY

Corporation's Liabilities Placed At From $4,000,000 to $6,000,000.

Asheville, N. C., September 12. — The Champion Lumber Company, one of the largest lumber corporations in the south, is declared bankrupt in papers received by Clerk Hyams, of United States District Court, here this morning. The liabilities are estimated at from $4,000,000 to $6,000,000. The corporation was thrown into bankruptcy by Judge James E. Boyd, sitting in chambers, at Greensboro, and was the result of a friendly suit. James G. Campbell, vice-president of the corporation, is named receiver, and Judge Henry B. Stevens, of Asheville, and Judge W. P. Bynum, of Greensboro are appointed to assist him in the management of the company. Judge Boyd orders that the operations of the company be continued. The assets are not listed.

NOT TO MEET NEXT YEAR.

Next Meeting of Red Men at Hot Springs, Ark., in 1918.

Wildwood, N. J., September 12. — The great council of the United States Improved Order of Red Men at its session today decided not to meet next year in order that larger appropriations might be made among the various states. The 1918 meeting will be held in Hot Springs, Ark.

A. S. Rutherford, of Tennessee, was elected great junior sagamore in a spirited contest with four other candidates.

SHIP MADE OF CONCRETE.

New Type of Vessel, Just Completed, Arrives at Christiana.

Christiana, via London, September 13.—A new type of ship has arrived here from the shipyards of Christianiafjord. The ship, which resembles a huge barge, is constructed entirely of concrete, except for the ribs, which are steel, is the first stone vessel ever floated.

RECORD VOTE WAS POLLED IN MAINE

Practically Complete Returns Show That the Republicans Made a Clean Sweep.

THEIR MAJORITY INCREASED

Will Have Solid Delegations in Both Branches of Congress and Also in Both Houses of the State Assembly.

Portland, Me., September 12. — Practically complete returns from yesterday's election show no changes in the general result. The Republican victory was complete, scattering returns form outlying districts today showing the trend of the early forecasts.

The total vote, approximately 150,000, was the largest ever cast in a State election. These figures have not been approached since 1880, when 142,802 were cast. In the last presidential year, and two years ago, it fell below 142,000.

The returns from the border where with the returns from a few isolated made a two days' march of sixty miles to exercise their franchise, together with the returns from a few isolated towns, increased the plurality of Carl F. Milliken, Republican, for governor, over Governor Oakley C. Curtis, Democrat, from the indicated figures of 13,000 last night to 13,800. Indicated pluralities for the other Republican candidates were confirmed by a revision of the vote. The republicans will have solid delegations in both branches of Congress, and will easily control both branches of the legislature.

VICE-PRESIDENT MARSHALL NOT SURPRISED AT RESULT

Joplin, Mo., Sept. 12.—Vice-President Marshall, who is here today to aid the Democrats in opening the Missouri campaign, was not surprised by the result of the Maine election yesterday. He said that any plurality for the Republicans under 15,000 was in reality favorable for the Democrats. "If any Republicans get any comfort out of such a small majority as they got in Maine yesterday, I say welcome."

"We got whipped, and I guess that is all I will say about the Maine election," said Speaker Champ Clark. "We got beaten good and plenty."

CAROLINA COLLEGE OPENS

Largest Attendance Ever at Methodist Institution at Maxton.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Maxton, N. C., Sept. 12.—Carolina College opened here today with the fullest attendance it has ever had on the first day. All the rooms in the dormitory are full and several have been filled in the annex. In fact a few out-of-town students are boarding in private homes. Several more, however, can be accommodated by bring into use the entire capacity of the two annexes, both of which are within a few yards of the administration building and no doubt befode the end of the week all rooms available will have been filled. President Mercer, who handed in his resignation some months ago, will remain at the head of the institution until the last of December, and Rev. R. B. John, of the North Carolina Conference, will take charge the first of the year.

Mr. Martin Luther McLean, who has been an invalid for some time has been in a very critical condition the past few days and his many friends are very anxious as to his condition.

HAMLET ISSUES $50,000

Bonds to be Sold to Get Money for Street Improvements.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Hamlet, N. C., Sept. 12. — The commissioners of the town of Hamelt have unanimously decided to issue bonds to the amount of $50,000 to continue teh street improvement work. Recently, Man street was opened, for several blocks, and the buildings in the way were either purchased or condemned.

The money received for the sale of the bonds will be used for curbing, gutters and street paving.

ONE-ARMED TYPEWRITER

German Invents Machine Cripples Can Use.

(Popular Science Monthly).

A German has invented a typewriter that can be worked with one hand and one foot. A perfect hand is not required, for the writing is done by moving a lever to left and right and the only other hand-movement demanded is the grasping of the paper for insertion.

The typewriter has no keyboard and the characters are on the type-cylinder. A number of the ordinary movements of a typewriter are produced by pedals worked by the foot. Thus the paper is introduced by means of the hand and foot, and the spacing of the words is controlled by the foot, the moving upward of the paper after a line is written is caused by the foot, and the shifting of the type -cylinder for capitals, small letters or figures is also done by foot.

MILITARY AND NAVAL RIFLE MATCHES TO BEGIN OCT. 20

Washington, Sept. 12.—The annual national military and naval rifle matches at the Florida State Range, which the War Department had been urged to abandon this year because of the continued presence of the regular army and national guard on the border and in Mexico, will be held beginning October 20, under conditions as nearly normal as practicable. In making this announcement tonight Secretary Baker said it was doubtful whether any regular army or National Guard units now on Mexican duty could participate.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 12.—Captain Johnny Evers, of the Boston Nationals, re-joined the club today in response to a summons sent by Manager Stallings, whose team is weakened by many injuries. Evers is still suffering from neuritis and remained on the bench. A medical examination today showed that his condition was caused to a great extent by a tooth which had failed to penetrate the gum.

Meyers-Hutchison-Wiest.
"A Girl, Two Lads and a Piano" in a brand new act—Victoria today.
(Advertisement).

CAR LOAD OF SADDLE HORSES FOR OFFICERS

In Preparation for Moving From Camp Glenn to Border

First, Third and Fourth Amendments to Constitution Expected Certainly to be Adopted—Speeches in the Eastern Counties.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 12.—Major J. A. Turner, of Louisburg, mustered into military service at Camp Glenn, passed through Raleigh today returning to Camp Glenn with a car load of saddle horses for the officers of the Guard in camp there. He purchased the horses in Vance, Wake and adjacent counties, wherever he could find a good saddle horse that was available for a reasonable price. This procurement of saddle horses is in preparation for "marching orders" for the North Carolina forces to proceed to the Mexican border.

Major Turner is confident that orders to proceed to the border will be sent out from Washington very soon now.

State Legislative Librarian W. S. Wilson, who is conducting an aggressive campaign in the interest of the four amendments to the constitution of the State that are to be voted on in the November election recently sent to several hundred citizens in every section of the State requests for expressions relative to the merits of the amendments and their attitude toward them, and he is receiving very many replies, the overwhelming trend of which is an endorsement of all four of the amendments. The only objections that are being raised are to the second amendment, to provide emergency judges.

There seems to be every indication now that certainly the first, the third and the fourth amendments will be ratified. These are to restrict the ever-increasing volume of local and private laws that clog the wheels of legislation during the sessions of the General Assembly and to provide for the enactment of general uniform State-wide laws under which counties and municipalities will have greatly enlarged self governing privileges and all private corporations will be placed on like footing as to charters and powers.

Democratic State Chairman Thomas D. Warren said today that he attaches no significance whatever to the result of the Maine election so far as any possible bearing it may have on the November elections is concerned. Maine is an old line Republican state and Democracy has made gratifying inroads on former Republican majorities that have shown up under normal conditions.

Chairman Warren was arranging dates today for such leading Democratic campaigners in this State as Judge Manning, H. S. Ward, A. L. Brooks and former Governor Glenn. Also, a number of additional engagements for J. W. Bickett, mostly in the eastern counties of the State. H. S. Ward is to have dates in Duplin, Sampson, Cumberland, Pender, Brunswick, Onslow, Columbus and Bladen counties.

LEE AXWORTHY LOWERS HIS OWN RECORD ON RACE TRACK

Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 12.—Lee Axworthy, world champion trotting stallion, lowered his own world's record at the New York State Fair Grand Circuit meeting today, going a mile in two minutes flat. Paced by two running horses, the son of Guy Axworthy never faltered, trotting each of the four quarters in exactly 30 seconds. Axworthy's former record was 2.00 1-2.

St. Frisco, capably handled by Geers, won the $10,000 Empire State stake in straight heats, setting a new record for the race in the second heat which he made in 2.03 3-4.

Kinston, N. C., Sept. 12. — Trenton township, Jones county, today voted a $12,000 bond issue by a big majority. Two other townships voting on similar issues have not reported.

CALLED NEIGHBORS IN TO SEE GREAT CHANGE IN WIFE

Prominent Wilmington Farmer Says Tanlac Has Helped His Wife Escape Operation. Dismissed Cook and Now Able to do Her Own Work.

W. N. Care, prominent farmer of R. F. D. No. 2, and who enjoys the friendship of a wide circle of Wilmingtonians, said in a recent visit to this city: "Tanlac has made such a wonderful change in my wife's condition that I sent for the neighbors so that they may see for themselves what a great medicine this Tanlac is.

"Mrs. Care was told that an operation would be her only hope by several different doctors who diagnosed her case as ulcers of the stomach. For two months, before she started on Tanlac, doctors had her on light soups and the like. They wanted her to go to the hospital and undergo an operation. Fearing an operation, Mrs. Care began taking Tanlac, for she had heard a good deal about what it was doing for others.

"And now she is not going to the hospital, for her sleep is fine; she can eat any food she wants without it hurting her, and has dismissed the cook, because Mrs. Care herself is able to tend to her own cooking. Our neighbors are as surprised as much as my wife and I, at the great and rapid change Tanlac has made in her.

"I must confess that when I bought my first bottle of Tanlac here at the Bellamy Drug Store, I didn't dream that it could do near as much as it has, for I had about lost faith in medicines. But, that sure was a happy day for us. Tanlac just took hold of Mrs. Care from the start and in a few days its soothing, but effective work had her free from pains. I feel so grateful over my wife's escape from the operating table that you may publish what I have said to help others."

Tanlac is sold in Wilmington at the Bellamy Drug Store, exclusively; Acme, Acme Store Co.; Burgaw, C. L. Halstead; Southport, Watson's Pharmacy; Rocky Point, A. N. Rhodes & Co.; Supply, G. W. Kirby; New Bern, Bradham Drug Co.; Magnolia, W. L. Southall; Faison, Faison Drug Co.; Pembroke, G. W. Locklear. Each town has its Tanlac dealer.

TORREON IN SNAPSHOT.

A Mexican Boom Town of Striking Characteristics.

(National Geographical Society Magazine).

In the midst of one of the most fertile agricultural districts of Mexico, and enjoying the advantage of railroad connections north, south, east and west, Torreon has enjoyed a phenomenal growth during the last 20 years.

With the exceptional railroad facilities and with an enormously rich mining district from which to draw, as well as a highly productive farming section, it is not surprising that Torreon has grown from an insignificant Indian village in 1896 to one of the most progressive centres of population in Northern Mexico. As recently at 1887 the site of the present town was the El Coyote ranch. The name Torreon was taken from a watchtower which the ranch owner erected as a precautionary measure against marauding Indians, who infested the region.

Today Torreon has substantial brick and cement business houses, electric lights and telephones, several big cotton factories, the largest soap factory in the southern republic, important flour mills and gigantic smelters, which reduce ores sent from mines hundreds of miles distant.

The cotton factories are supplied with raw material from the great Laguna district, which produces nine-tenths of all of the cotton raised in Mexico. The size of the odop depends largely each year on the amount of rainfall during the wet season, which begins in June and continues until October. During the falls months following the rain, the streams of the Laguna district overflow their banks, coving the valleys with water to a depth of several feet. After this has soaked into the land the farmers plow the dried crust of soil and leave it until February or March, when the cotton is planted.

The less progressive natives, who are content with a smaller yield, do not find it necessary to plant their crops oftener than every eight or ten years, for cotton is perennial in this region. The plant was found in Mexico by the Spaniards. Columbus recognizing it off the mainland of Yucatan in 1502. The Astecs and Toltecs knew its uses, and not only did they weave beautiful garments of it, but they used it in quilted form to make breastplates which were proof against arrows.

FOUGHT CHANGE IN PAST

There are Some Men Who Always Oppose Progress.

(Syracuse Journal).

On almost any question a very large number of the people would vote wrong—wrong, as history would prove.

Thus about half of Philadelphia's respectable citizens strongly opposed the Declaration of Independence. Very nearly half the people of the 13 states voted against the constitution under which we have lived for 124 years, and which we now revere. Patrick Henry, James Monroe and scores of leaders declared it would lead to a kingdom.

Half the people of the country were led to believe the United States bank was a political monster, and so Jackson handed the republic over to a system of corrupt state banks.

"Let the erring sisters go in peace," was a popular phrase prior to the Civil War, and disunion rather than fight was preached in many a pulpit and applauded by newspapers and eminent citizens. Far more than half the voters of the United States voted against the first election of Lincoln.

Every big American city fought against the introduction of gas as a deadly menace. When the railroads came, at about the same time, they were branded as the sure death of a greater part of the population. "Franklin's lightning rods" were ridiculed by some as "lightning catchers."

The trolley cars, only a score of years ago, were pictured as so many juggernauts. The populace combated vaccination against smallpox, and it still fights in India against scientific treatment of the bubonic plague.

PRAYS FOR THE CIRCUS

Little Tommy Says a Good Word For Clowns and Animals

When 6-year-old Tommy had returned to his home in Walbrook after a visit to the circus, with all its dazzling wonders, and had met for the first time all the fierce animals which had hitherto been confined between the pages of his animal A B C, he was tired as only a youngster of 6 can be.

Undressed and droopy headed, Tommy was ready to be tumbled into bed when his mother said:

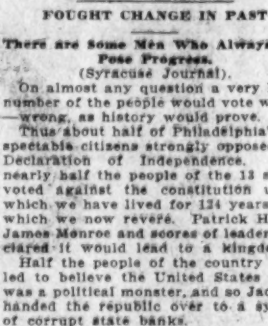
"You haven't said your prayers, Tommy."

"Can't muvver," said Tommy.

"But you must," she insisted.

"All right," he answered wearily, ending with this:

"—and bless the circus, and the clowns and the animals—bless 'em Lord, but don't let 'em get away. Amen."



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PHILLIES TAKE GAME FROM THE CARDINALS

Win Close Contest With Two Runs in the Ninth Inning.

Superbas and Pirates Divide a Double Header—Giants Defeat the Reds. Braves Capture One Game From the Cubs.

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Brooklyn 6-1; Pittsburg 0-2.
At New York 3; Cincinnati 2.
At Philadelphia 4; St. Louis 3.
At Boston 1-3; Chicago 0-3.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Chicago at Boston.
Pittsburg at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at New York.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	78	53	.595
Philadelphia	76	53	.589
Boston	78	54	.575
New York	65	62	.512
Pittsburg	63	70	.474
Chicago	61	73	.455
St. Louis	58	78	.427
Cincinnati	53	83	.390

Philadelphia, Sept. 12.—A batting rally in the ninth inning gave Philadelphia the victory over St. Louis today 4 to 3. After the second and third innings, Alexander settled down. In the ninth the home team pounded out the victory on singles by Goode and Paskert, Niehoff's double and Stock's drive to deep left center.

St. Louis	012 000 000—3	7	0
Philadelphia	000 002 002—4	13	1

Meadows and Gonzales; Alexander Burns and Adams.

New York, Sept. 12.—New York won its sixth straight victory here today defeating Cincinnati in the opening game of the series 3 to 2. After the first inning Benton was very strong. New York scored the winning run in the fifth inning, when with the bases full and one out, Benton hit into a double play, Kauff scoring.

Cincinnati	200 000 000—2	7	1
New York	100 110 00*—3	7	4

Mitchell and Huhn; Benton and McCarty.

Brooklyn, Sept. 12.—Brooklyn divided a double header with Pittsburg today. Pfeffer was invincible in the first game and shut out the Pirates 6 to 0. The second game was a duel between Mamsu and Coombs, the Pirate twirler having the edge and winning 2 to 1. Mamaux had Brooklyn shut out until the ninth, when Wheat singled, took second on a wild pitch, and scored on Pinch Hitter Merkle's single.

Pittsburg	000 000 000—0	5	2
Brooklyn	010 022 01*—6	10	0

Evans, Jacobs, Farmer and Fischer; Pfeffer and Myers.

The second game:

Pittsburg	011 000 000—2	5	0
Brooklyn	000 000 001—1	5	1

Mamaux and Fischer; Coombs and Miller.

Boston, Sept. 12.—Rudolph pitched Boston to a 1 to 0 victory over Chicago in one game today, then twirled nine innings of the second game, which went 13 innings before darkness intervened with the score tied at 3 to 3. Rudolph was retired when Tyler batted for him in the ninth and finished out the game. In the first contest a single by Egan, coming between Carter's only pass and Gowdy's sacrifice fly accounted for Boston's run.

In the second game the visitors had the Braves 3 to 1 with two out in the ninth, when Snodgrass doubled after Hendrix had given two bases on balls.

Chicago	000 000 000—0	5	0
Boston	000 010 00*—1	3	0

Carter and Archer; Rudolph and Gowdy.

Second game:

Chicago	001 001 001 000 0—3	6	1
Boston	000 001 002 000 0—3	7	4

Hendrix and Wilson; Rudolph, Tyler and Gowdy.

CLOSENESS OF THE PENNANT RACES MAKES HARD PROBLEM

New York, Sept. 12.—Owing to the closeness of the two major league pennant races and the resultant uncertainty regarding the contenders for world's series honors, members of the National Commission are seriously handicapped in their efforts to draw up a schedule and make other arrangements for the holding of the series, less than a month away. Although the date for the opening game has been unofficially set for Saturday, October 7, the fact that the commission is unable to determine at this time which clubs will participate is hampering the completion of the many details and arrangements.

This problem, it was announced here today, will be fully worked out at Cincinnati on Friday when the commission and the club owners gather for the annual drafting of minor league players. The situation may result, it was indicated in the extraordinary procedure, of preparing a number of world's series schedules covering National and American clubs which have a chance to win the right to compete in the baseball classic.

Only three weeks leeway will exist at the time the magnates meet in Cincinnati and it has been suggested in official baseball circles that the only way to meet the conditions would be to adopt this broad schedule plan, probably including Brooklyn, Philadelphia and Boston in the National League and Boston, Detroit and Chicago in the American League.

Washington, Sept. 12.—While Manager Carrigan, of the Boston Americans, refused to confirm definitely the report from Boston today that he would retire from baseball at the end of the season, he indicated that there was a strong probability he would do so. His teammates said he was tired of the gam eand wanted to go into business at Lewiston, Me., his home. Carrigan went with the Red Sox in 1906 as catcher and succeeded Jake Stahl as manager three years ago.

THE BATTING LEADERS.

Ty Cobb and Tris Speaker swung their bats over the same home plate today, the former getting two home runs and two singles out of five times at bat while the Cleveland player, leading the batters of the American League, hit only once in four trials. As a result Cobb bettered his average five points, while Speaker lost a point and leads his rival by but 13 points. Jackson failed to hit in four times at bat.

All the leading National League batsmen were in the game today but Robertson, who made two hits in three times at bat, was the only one to increase his percentage. Chase got one hit out of four attempts and Daubert two out of seven. The standings:

American League

Player	AB	H	PC.
Speaker	346	134	.379
Cobb	481	176	.366
Jackson	530	185	.349

National League

Chase	465	151	.325
Daubert	402	127	.316
Hornsby	434	137	.316
Wagner	355	111	.313
Robertson	492	149	.303

MINOR LEAGUES.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

At Louisville, 0; St. Paul, 2.
At Toledo, 5; Kansas City, 6.
At Indianapolis, 3; Minneapolis, 1.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

At Richmond, 0; Newark, 3.
At Montreal, 5; Toronto, 2.
At Rochester, 1; Buffalo, 7.
At Baltimore, 8-12; Providence, 3-1.

REGULAR FOOTBALL PRACTICE AT CHAPEL HILL HAS BEGUN

Chapel Hill, Sept. 12.—The first regular football practice began at the University Monday afternoon. A dozen or more men were out two or three days last week but no regular practice was engaged in, except some practice in handling the ball, passing, and tackling the dummy. Coach Thomas J. Campbell expects to get down to hard practice soon, and is anxious to get in line on the material available and prospects for the season.

The following letter men of last year are already back on the Hill, Tandy, J. Tayloe, Ramsey and Grimes. Love, who played a few games last season at end, is also back. With these veterans already on hand, the line appears stronger than any part of the team. The coaches have an entirely new backfield to develop and new ends. This fact gives an air of uncertainty to any predictions this early. The adoption of the one-year rule this year makes it necessary to use only such material as was available last year, and much of this material has not as yet been tested.

A score or more of men were on the field Monday and were put through practice in handling the ball, falling on the ball, tackling the dummy, forward passing and kicking. This kind of practice will be continued for the next few days.

The new Emerson Field is now in superb condition and should make for fast football. It now is covered with a fine sod of grass which gives it a fine appearance. Goal posts have been erected, tackling apparatus constructed, and everything put in readiness for a gruelling practice. Showers and dressing rooms are attached to the stadium for the comfort and convenience of the teams.

The following is the completed and revised schedule of games:

Sept. 30—Wake Forest at Chapel Hill.
Oct 7—Princeton, at Princeton.
Oct. 14—Harvard, at Cambridge.
Oct. 21—Georgia Tech, at Atlanta.
Oct. 28—V. M. I., at Chapel Hill.
Nov. 4—V. P. I., at Roanoke
Nov. 11—Davidson, at Winston-Salem.
Nov. 18—Pending, at Chapel Hill.
Nov. 30—Virginia, at Richmond.

NEWPORT NEWS WINS SECOND GAME OF POST-SEASON SERIES

Centerfielder Cueto Breaks Leg in Sliding to Second.

Newport News, Va., September 22.—With Voss pitching brilliant ball, Newport News this afternoon defeated Portsmouth, here, in the second game of the Virginia League post-season series, 6 to 1. Voss, slashin ga two-bagger with one on in the fifth, paved the way for the local's victory.

Centerfielder Cueto, Portsmouth, broke his legt sliding to second in the fourth inning. Portsmouth keenly felt the loss of the Cuban. Spectators packed the park, the mayor having declared a half holiday. The third game of the series will be played tomorrow in Portsmouth.

Portsmouth	000 000 010—1	4	3
Newport News	000 032 01*—6	4	1

Alton and Reynolds; Voss and Lake.

WHITE SOX GET ONLY 3 HITS OFF WEILMAN

Browns, Bunching Hits Off Benz, Win a 5 to 3 Victory.

Tigers Again Hit the Indian Pitchers Hard, Winning 10 to 2—Senators are Victorious Over Red Sox 4 to 3.

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Chicago 3; St. Louis 5.
At Cleveland 2; Detroit 10.
At Washington 4; Boston 3.
No other scheduled.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

St. Louis at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.
New York at Detroit.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Boston	78	57	.578
Detroit	79	59	.572
Chicago	77	60	.562
New York	71	64	.526
St. Louis	72	66	.522
Washington	68	66	.507
Cleveland	69	69	.500
Philadelphia	30	103	.226

Chicago, Sept. 12.—Carl Weilman held Chicago to three hits today while his team mates bunched hits off Benz, and this, coupled with erratic fielding by the locals, gave St. Louis a 5 to 3 victory.

St. Louis	002 030 000—5	10	2
Chicago	000 003 000—3	3	2

Weilman and Hartley; Benz, Danforth and Schalk.

Cleveland, Sept. 12.—Detroit again hit Cleveland pitchers hard and won 10 to 2. Cobb led in the onslaught making two singles and two home runs, each with a man on.

Bagby pitched good ball until the ninth, errors being responsible for Detroit's run in the fifth and eighth.

Cleveland	000 001 010—	2	7	2
Detroit	300 010 03*—10	16	2

Coveleskie, Bagby, Penner and O'Neill, DeBerry; Ehmke and Spencer.

Washington, Sept. 12.—The Washington Americans closed the local season with a rally in the ninth, and tenth innings which turned an apparent defeat at the hands of Boston into a 4 to 3 victory. Leonard singled in the tenth which forced the retirement of Mays, and an infield hit by Milan and singles by Smith and Gharrity off Shore brought in the two runs that ended the game.

Boston	000 000 201—3	7	0
Washington	000 000 002 2—4	10	2

Ruth, Mays, Shore and Thomas, Cady; Johnson and Henry.

SUPERBAS, NATIONAL LEAGUE LEADERS, LOSE HALF A GAME

Chicago, Sept. 12.—Brooklyn, getting only an even break in its double header with Pittsburg today, lost half a game of its lead, both its rivals in the National League race, Philadelphia and Boston, winning. The results leave Philadelphia only one game from first place, and Boston, in third, three games behind the Robins. Standing of the leaders:

Club	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	78	53	.595
Philadelphia	76	53	.589
Boston	73	54	.575

It was a good day for Detroit in the American League. The Tigers romped to victory at Cleveland while the leading Red Sox dropped a tough battle to Washington. The Jennings men stand tonight only half a game behind Boston. To add to the Detroit triumph, Chicago fell half a game back through its defeat by St. Louis, the White Sox now holding third place, two games back of Boston. Standing of the leaders:

Club	W	L	Pct.
Boston	78	57	.578
Detroit	79	59	.572
Chicago	77	60	.562

TWO YACHTS START RACE FOR CAPE MAY CHALLENGE CUP

New York, Sept. 12.—Morton F. Plant's Elena, challenger for the Cape May challenge cup, and Robert E. Todd's Katqura, its defender, started from Ambrose lightship today in their 214 miles race for the trophy which was presented to the New York Yacht Club in 1872 by James Gordon Bennett, its commodore at that time. Off Long Branch, N. J., the Elena had a lead of between a quarter and a half mile. It is expected, if the breeze lasts, that the race will be finished sometime tomorrow afternoon.

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TOP O' THE MORNING.

You and I today are the exact total product of every thing we have been up to this moment. At the last as we stand before God, we will be the exact total product of what we have been up to that last moment. —TORREY.

Man always is endeavoring to protect himself from everything but himself.

The British have extended the mail censorship but this won't keep a lot of women from wanting to exercise a close watch over the mail their husbands get.

The average man expresses his opinion without charging a thing for it. If he wanted to take up a collection on account of his opinion, the crowd would not give him two cents for it.

With the most patriarchal set of whiskers in the country, Justice Hughes may be pardoned for uttering platitudes as old as the hills. It's a case of having to live up to appearances.

The Confederate veterans in the Soldiers' Home, at Raleigh, disturb the management by an occasional fight. It is time for the management to understand that the Johnnies cannot be expected to live the life of mollycoddles.

A man in New York says he has been trying to bet $100 even money that Hughes will carry New York State by 100,000 plurality, but that he can't get anyone to challenge his bet. Oh, that we only had a hundred bones! "My kingdom for a horse!"

Some people who talk about destruction of vested rights don't know that vested rights are as liable to destroy others as they are to destroy vested rights. The law ought to be sufficient to protect all destructionists from each other.

Hosea, the prophet, said: "My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge." That was true, but no doubt his people thought he was talking through his hat. Knowledge strikes some people as absolute foolishness. Others believe it is possible to repeal the law of supply and demand.

While Colonel Roosevelt is so busy telling the country how to run the navy and criticising Secretary Daniels, wonder if he could give an intelligent explanation as to why he had to try six different men for the job. His principal indoor sport was the changing of his secretaries of the navy.

With the entrance of Rumania into the European conflict, more burdensome duties were imposed upon the news editors. Russian names, hard as they are, can be pronounced with a sneeze, but it requires more than a sneeze and possibly something kin to a fit to do justice to the names of some of those Rumanian towns and officers.

In order to avert a strike, which would have been insurrectionary, revolutionary and calamitous, the Democrats and Republicans in Congress decided on the best way to avert it. Some newspapers continue to assert that it showed that Congress was weak, but it must be the opinion of Congress that if it had not adopted legislation that saved the Nation from such a stupendous calamity, it would have been almost as stupid and impractical as its critics.

Samuel Gompers, the great labor chief, recently gave his reason why workingmen should vote for Wilson. Senator Cummings heatedly declared that Gompers is a nuisance, but owing to the fact that the senator is a Republican, it is to be inferred that Mr. Gompers is a nuisance because he insisted on expressing his opinion in the interest of the working men. Senator Cummins talks like he thinks labor ought to be seen and not be heard.

THE MAINE ELECTION

The Maine election on Monday was a poor showing for the Republicans at best and there was little in it to brag about for the Democrats. Nevertheless, the Republicans insist that it was favorable to the chances of Hughes in November, while the greatly reduced Republican majority is urged by the Democrats as an indication of enough Progressive support all over the country to re-elect President Wilson at the general election.

Of course, both sides will figure on and analyze the Maine election as having decided bearing on the presidential election, but we confess that we never have attributed much importance to any Maine election. Politically, it is a small state and its politics is generally so local in interest that it is difficult to take a Maine vote in a state election as any augury as to how the nation will go in a presidential election.

In normal times Maine can always be counted upon to give her vote to the Republicans by majorities ranging from close to 30,000 up to 40,000, just as Pennsylvania can be counted on for the G. O. P. and Texas can be relied upon to go Democratic. Maine is much less a doubtful state than several states that are much larger and a great deal more important in a general result.

Even so, we are not attempting to minimize the result in Maine, but her going Republican last Monday was what we fully expected. The truth is, Maine normally is a "rock-ribbed" Republican state. In 1888 Harrison's plurality was 28,252; in 1896 McKinely's was 45,777, and in 1900 it was 26,612. In 1904 Roosevelt carried Maine by a plurality of 36,807, while Taft's plurality was 30,584. In 1912, when the Republican party was down and out by division, Wilson carried Maine by a plurality of only 2,620, with Roosevelt running second and Taft a poor third.

Thus the real normal Republican majority in Maine is from 25,000 to 35,000, or thereabouts, but if she goes Republican or Democratic by any old kind of plurality she has simply gone nowhere in particular.

Really Maine's vote simply indicates the moods and changes of Maine only, and it no more indicates what Indiana will do than it indicates what North Carolina will do. At the same time, Maine's vote on Monday shows that the Wilson administration was thought so well of there by the people that they gave the Republicans a really insignificant majority, as compared with the majorities she has been giving them for a generation except one or two notable and abnormal exceptions.

REPUBLICAN ANSWER TO HUGHES' ARGUMENT.

To some Republicans doubtless, especially those not connected with the shipping industry, the speech of Candidate Hughes at Rockland, Maine, in finishing up his campaign in that state last Saturday, sounded mighty good, for it was then and there that to his previous assaults upon the Wilson administration he added an attack upon the Shipping bill, charfacterizing it as being "aimed at the shipping interests of the Nation," "a direct blow at the shipping industries of Maine," "a measure to meet a temporary exigency, almost ludicrous" and "a menace to the shipping interests of our country."

Certainly the One Hundred Per Cent Candidate was laying it on thick and fast. He was uttering words — that commodity which in this campaign and the November election is to be weighed in the balances against action, the commodity which Wilson has to offer as an alternative. Until Saturday, the G. O. P. candidate had left the Shipping bill unattacked during his campaign. He reserved that attack to make a ten-strike in Maine, the center of the country's shipping industry. That was some strategy he was pulling.

Now that we have the estimate of the One Hundred Per Cent Candidate on this piece of Democratic legislation, let us call to the stand a witness who can qualify as an "expert," one who is the head of a big shipping company, a native of Maine, the traditional shipping state, and a life-long Republican. Certainly such a witness would have tremendous weight with any jury in presenting testimony in controversion of that offered by Mr. Hughes, because he is not only a witness unbiased and unprejudiced against the Republican candidate, but in the very nature of things, being a life-long Republican, native of a rock-ribbed Republican state, he would naturally be supposed to be prejudiced in favor of the candidate of the party he has always supported. But not so.

The witness to whom we refer is Mr. Chas. W. Morse, president of the Hudson Navigation Company, who was born in Maine and has voted the Republican ticket and given his support to the G. O. P. all his life. The occasion for his taking the stand to testify to the merits of the Shipping bill was a request for a contribution to the campaign fund of the Republican party. He wrote a letter in reply, declining to come across with the coin and telling his reasons therefor. Also he gave out the letter for publication. Here it is:

"As a Maine Republican from boyhood it seems strange to me not to reply favorably to your letter of August 1, but there are two reasons why I am unable to do so.

"First. I am in the shipping business, and the only help that the shipping industry has received since 1864 has been in the last two years. The Republican party has been the death knell of the shipping industry for America since 1864 and should it regain power, I am afraid it would adopt the same methods which have, as I say, for the last 50 years, crushed this industry.

"Second. I have three sons I am very proud of and I feel a debt of gratitude to Mr. Wilson that they have not been compelled to live on the border or in the trenches, which might have happened had your party been in power. The Republican party desires to involve this country both on this continent and elsewhere, at least the public utterances of your candidate and his supporters so imply.

"These are the reasons why, as a Republican, as I always shall be, I cannot assist in the election of your candidate this year."

That must have been somewhat disconcerting to the Hughes campaign managers. The very week that the One Hundred Per Cent Candidate went into Maine to denounce the Wilson Shipping bill, a man who is 100 per cent interested in the shipping industry and has always been 100 per cent Republican declared that he will not assist in the election of the Republican candidate for President this year because "the only help that the shipping industry has received since 1864 has been in the past two years" and that "the Republican party has been the death knell of the shipping industry for America since 1864."

COTTON GROWERS CAUGHT NAPPING IN GEORGIA.

The cotton boll weevil is now active in 20 counties in Georgia, according to experts of the Department of Agriculture. The ravages of the weevil at this time seem to be complete and the cotton growers are bewailing their unfortunate lot. The pest invaded Georgia from Alabama in 1914 and the Chattahoochie river was no obstacle to their march into a new field of destruction.

In at least 20 counties, whole cotton fields in many instances have been devastated this season. The Hon. J. D. Price, commissioner of agriculture in Georgia, reports to the Atlanta Constitution that in one 300 acre field alone inspected by him a few days ago the weevils were on the job attacking each young boll as soon as it appeared on the growing cotton stalk. Their ravages were so complete, as they went from stalk to stalk, that Commissioner Price declares that the whole 300 acres of cotton, giving evidence of a fine yield a few weeks ago, "will not make a handful of cotton."

By being skeptical about the coming of the weevil and minimizing the damage that the pest might do, the farmer who owned that 300-acre field of cotton can do nothing but watch the weevils turn his once fine prospects into nothing but a wide waste of ruin. He had failed to grow other crops as a precaution, and the result is that all his year's work and expense has gone to naught. His loss will not be less than $15,000 to $18,000 on cotton alone. He had even ignored the warning that if he would plant cotton, he should plant his crop early and use only the seed of an early maturing variety. He actually planted his cotton later than usual and laughed at those who took precaution against the weevil.

The Constitution says that there are hundreds of farmers who were similarly guilty of neglect, but some were wise enough to make their own food and feed crops at home. Their cotton has been destroyed, of course, but they have other crops to save their entire year's work from being thrown away. Nevertheless, there are numerous cases of distress, and farmers who had gone into debt to grow cotton find themselves in debt for this year's supplies and forced to go into debt for the coming year's supplies, if they can get them. However, they cannot buy supplies if they propose to try cotton again next year. The Constitution thus speaks of those improvident farmers who are the luckless victims of their own folly:

"Those Georgia farmers in the southwestern section of the state who were disposed to doubt the warnings given them regarding the invasion of the Mexican cotton boll weevil will assuredly think better of their attitude another year and proceed accordingly. Notwithstanding the fact that for two or three years prior to the first appearance of the boll weevil in this state, the state board of entomology kept continually before them the fact that it was inevitably on its way, and that its advent was just as certain as death and taxes, there were not a few farmers on the southwestern border line next to Alabama, who, unheedingly, went ahead and made no alteration in their plans. They are now sorry they did it. To meet boll weevil conditions next year the farmers in the infested territory must begin work now. It is vitally important to clean the fields, to plow under the dead cotton stalks, to clear up the stubble and rubbish and burn it. In this way many of the weevils are destroyed, and are defeated in their efforts to get into safe winter quarters. This year's experience has proven the value and importance of the warnings. Next year the weevil will invade more Georgia counties. Farmers in the danger zone can profit, if they will, by the experience of their neighbors. They are foolish enough to stand in their own light, if they fail to do it."

Noah took heed and built the ark, and so it was that some farmers took warning and refused to scoff at the boll weevil invasion. They diversified their crops and produced grain and forage and bought and raised more cattle and hogs. They have found it profitable, and those who have thus provided against disaster will hardly feel the loss of the small area that they planted in cotton. They propose to go into the livestock business on a larger scale and are now planting winter cover crops for grazing. They have raised their own meat at very small cost and are getting good prices for all the meat animals they have for sale.

Perhaps the boll weevil will prove a blessing after all. It is not a wise man who builds his house upon the sand and is equally foolish in daring fate of any kind. Planting only one crop when others can be grown with equal profit is taking as much of a chance as the man who depends upon winning the game by "turning jack."

CITY FINANCES

According to a statement submitted to the mayor and Council on Monday by Councilman W. D. McCaig, having supervision of the Department of Accounts and Finance, the report of the certified public accountant shows a better day of city financing by our commission government. For the fiscal year ended May 21, 1916, with a tax rate of $1.75 on the $100 valuation, the city's ordinary receipts exceeded those of last year by $50,000. Ordinary expenses decreased $22,000. Current liabilities decreased $37,513, the bonded indebtedness decreased $5,000 and the sinking fund increased $6,795.

The tax rate was 25 cents less than last year, and as to the showing made, Councilman McCaig gives credit to all the city departments for co-operating in the economy measures undertaken for the year's administration of the city's affairs. Possibly the showing made would have been more comprehensive if it had been accompanied by a fuller statement showing the total receipts and a detailed statement of the disbursements for official, improvement and all departmental accounts. Doubtless, however, the reports for each department will shew all that.

The Star congratulates the Council for its evident earnestness to get the affairs of Wilmington down to an economic basis and to maintain the efficiency of all departments on a lower level of the tax rate on property. This would give greater satisfaction to owners of city property and encourage the real estate investments that are so essential to any city's growth and prosperity.

Huh! Second hand things are about all in the same class as to value. Things rarely ever are worth one-fourth as good as new when they get in the second class. The same applies to second-hand information or a second repetition of conversation. Gossip and all sorts of yarns that pass from one to another are tales that are told differently by all who tell them the second time. The fact is, not one man in 100,000 can tell it twice the same way, and if they tell it many times others will hear it and tell it and ball up the whole thing, either leaving out the "ifs and ands" and the provideds, or they add something according to the constructive genius or perverseness of their prevaricative ability.

CURRENT COMMENT.

If the Republicans are stirring up much enthusiasm for Mr. Hughes the noise does not reach down this far.—Durham Herald (Ind.)

The Philippine government has bought in the Manila Railroad, which was in difficulties, and whose operation, as in case of most railways, was a public necessity. As the Philippines are under Washington tutelage, we are now experimenting with government ownership in three widely separated places—Manila, Panama, Alaska.—New York World.

The county commissioners took a step that meets with general approval when they made an appropriation at their last meeting for canning club work in Robeson. This work should mean thousands of dollars in profit to Robeson in the next few years. Now if the commissioners will provide for a cotton grader they might place many thousands of dollars in the pockets of farmers of the county this fall.—Lumberton Robesonian.

Judge Richardson brings encouraging news from the wild and wooly West. He has been touring during his vacation, and ran across the Republican candidate upon several occasions along the Pacific coast and in Denver. From what he could gather the sentiment in California is strongly against Judge Hughes, and the state of Colorado can be easily placed in the doubtful column. In Chicago Judge Richardson met many members of the National Bar Association, in convention in that city. Views were exchanged, and the expressions of opinion drawn by observation, indicate, according to the Judge, that Ohio will fall in line for President Wilson. The reception given Judge Hughes in Denver during the delivery of his speech, which was the same he delivered along the Pacific coast, was most discouraging to the Republican leaders. "There was no initiative, no suggestion, no idea expressed," said Judge Richardson. "Nothing but criticism, abuse, vituperation, against President Wilson and the Democratic party. I believe he lost votes at every meeting. He could not evoke enthusiasm." News from almost every center visited by Judge Hughes bears out the impression formed in the mind of the Richmond jurist. The latter is something of a campaigner, a politician and a statesman himself. He is a splendid judge of human nature, and his opinion is worth much. It is, therefore, good to hear that the people of the West and the Middle West are with the President.—Richmond Virginian.

$554 PER ACRE FOR TOBACCO

Robeson Farmer Received This For Crop From Two Acres.

(Lumberton Robesonian.)

While many Robeson tobacco growers realized from two to three hundred dollars per acre from their tobacco crops this year, perhaps no farmer in the county sold his crop for more per acre than Mr. J. A. Edmund, who lives on R. 4 from Lumberton. Mr. Edmund sold the crop off two acres for $1,109.76, or $554.88 to the acre. Mr. Edmund sold his crop at the Farmers' Tobacco Warehouse here.

Fayetteville, Sept. 12.—A fox chase through a residential section of a small city, with a Scotch collie doing the chasing, was the unusual incident that stirred the residents of St. James Square yesterday. The collie, which belongs to Master Emmat Underwood, in nosing around the back lots of the neighborhood ran across a fine fox and ran him to cover in a field back of the home of John A. Oates.

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HEALTH IS WEALTH

by John B. Huber, A.M., M.D.

God lent his creatures light and air
And waters open to the skies:
Man locks him in a stifling lair,
And wonders why his brother dies.
OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES.

Medical School Inspections.

MEDICAL school inspections are now a matter of course in many American communities; also in the Philippines and in Hawaii. Physicians engaged by health boards or by boards of education (or by such boards co-operating) to call in the morning, examine such children as the teachers have found ailing and exclude from school children having any kind of infection. More than this, such physicians, by periodic examinations of all the children attending a school, undertake to discover defects of all kinds quite apart from any consideration of contagiousness or infection. They seek untoward conditions of nutrition, swollen glands in the neck, nervous disorders, heart trouble, pulmonary disease, deformities of the spine, chest or extremities, skin eruptions, defective vision or hearing, obstructed nasal breathing, defective teeth, deformed palate, adenoids, hypertrophied tonsils, and defective mentality. A card index is kept; and the parents are notified and are earnestly advised to have their family physicians correct or at least treat the children for the defects noted; and, if this cannot be afforded that the children be sent for treatment to hospitals or dispensaries.

In many cities also, in addition to medical school inspectors, and in order to supplement their work, nurses have been employed. Children sent to them by the inspector are treated by those nurses, as directed, for minor ailments; they attend only to those children whose parents cannot, by reason either of poverty or ignorance, employ physicians or provide adequate treatment and nursing. Thus are relieved cases of pediculosis, ring worm and the like. Medical school inspections have given some really startling results. A committee of physical welfare of school children found that among 1,400 children, 12 per cent. were suffering from malnutrition, either starvation or improper feeding; 48 per cent. from enlarged glands; 74 per cent. from bad teeth; 14 per cent. from eye defects; 27 per cent. from nose troubles; 29 per cent. throat troubles. And on the basis of these figures the recommendations we will mention tomorrow were made.

BUBONIC PLAGUE.

Answer to S. V.: The germ of this disease is the Bacillus pestis; its hatching period is from 2 to 5 days. Fortunately our vigilant health authorities, National, State and local, have thus far insured us from any serious invasion of this serious infection. The invasion begins with headache, backache, muscular stiffness, dizziness, mental depression and uneasiness, rapid breathing and perhaps nose blood or blood spitting. In 24 hours there is a chill whilst the temperature rises to 104, even to 106. With this there is delirium, great thirst, dry brown tongue and oftentimes nausea and vomiting. There occurs slight hemorrhages beneath the skin. About the fifth day (as early in some cases as the third), the glands in the groin become swollen; also, though less commonly, the glands in the neck, under the armpits and behind the knees. These swellings may either disappear or they may break down to abscesses or they may (rarely) become gangrenous. Carbuncles may appear on the legs or in the back. The mortality from the plague is enormous, from 70 to 95 per cent.

EAR INFLAMMATION.

Answer to D. P. A.: Doctors call this inflammation otitis media. It generally follows diphtheria or tonsilitis or one of the eruptive diseases such as scarlet fever or measles. The treatment consists in hot irrigations with saline solution (teaspoonful of table salt to a pint of water.) The doctor should early incise the drum membrane, lest the latter rupture or be perforated. Such cases when unattended have led to meningitis, brain inflammation.

John B. Huber

This column is devoted to disease prevention; to physical and mental hygiene; to domestic, industrial and public sanitation; to the promotion of health; efficiency and long life. The latest developments in medical science will be presented. Questions of general interest will be answered here, space permitting—all others by mail if stamped return envelope is enclosed. Requests for personal diagnosis or treatment cannot, however, be considered in any way.

TOMORROW: Child Hygiene.

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BODY OF DROWNED MAN DRAGGED FROM RIVER

Identified As That Of Mr. Sam Rivenbark, Of Wilmington

Brother of Dead Man Recognizes Clothes At Police Station and Started Search For Body—Had Been Despondent.

The body of the white man who was drowned in Cape Fear river off the west side of the Mark street ferry, in Wilmington, late Monday afternoon, was dragged from the river by Dave Brown, a colored riverman, shortly after 10 o'clock yesterday morning. The body was identified by Mr. M. C. Rivenbark, as being that of his brother, Mr. Sam Rivenbark, a fish dealer, residing at No. 302 Brunswick street.

Mr. M. C. Rivenbark, who lived with his brother and who was associated with him in the fish business, said his brother was subject to epileptic fits, which depressed him into the depths of despondency and melancholia. On such occasions, it is alleged, the man had threatened to take his life. He may have been suffering from one of these spells when he took the fatal plunge Monday afternoon. It is thought that possibly the deceased had merely intended to take a bath in the river.

He left his home Monday morning to collect some accounts that were due him and his brother. About 11 o'clock he returned and it is said that he then told his wife that he was going to drown himself some time during the day. He then went back to his collecting work, and never returned. When he failed to show up for dinner, his brother said he became alarmed and, after searching for him in various parts of the city without success, notified the police that his brother was missing and asked for aid in locating him.

No news of the missing man was received until early yesterday morning when his attention was called to a newspaper story, stating that an unidentified white man had leaped from the ferry wharf late in the previous afternoon. The description of the clothes as given in this account tallied with those worn by his brother and he immediately went to police headquarters and identified the clothes as being those of Mr. Sam Rivenbark, with the exception that he wore a coat. The coat, however, was found later at King's Fish Market on Front street.

Mr. Rivenbark went at once to the scene of the tragedy, and employed Brown, the negro rivermai, to drag for the body, offering a reward for its recovery. In the meantime he went to the Wilmington Iron Works and secured the service of an expert diver to aid Brown in his work.

Just as the diver reached the scene, however, Brown succeeded in hooking the body. It was removed to the ferry wharf, and the coroner was notified. Coroner A. S. Holden viewed the body and pronounced that death was due to drowning. It was then removed to Yopp's undertaking establishment to be prepared for burial.

While only 20 cents was found in the dead man's clothes, his brother stated that he should have had at least $18, as he had been collecting accounts all day, and that there was a considerable amount due them in the territory in which he was supposed to have been working.

Although Mr. Rivenbark said that he had never heard his brother speak of taking his own life, it was reported at police headquarters that he had made such a remark on the morning of his death, telling his wife that he was going to drown himself before night.

There is still some doubt, however, as to whether he fell into the river designedly or by accident. There were no eye witnesses to the tragedy, but one old colored woman said that she saw him sitting on a narrow board under the boatshed bathing himself. No marks or bruises of any kind tended to show foul play, that the money he was supposed to have had on his person would indicate.

Mr. Sam Rivenbarg was thirty years of age and is survived by his wife, brother, and one sister, Mrs. J. G. Seitter, of Castle Haynes Road. Funeral services were conducted from the residence at 4:30 yesterday afternoon by Rev. G. W. McClanahan, pastor of St. Matthew's Lutheran church. Interment was in Bellevue cemetery.

The ballbearers were: Messrs. J. E. Ashley, T. O. Matthews, W. F. Koch, W. G. A. Oterson.

ROSS KENNEDY CASE WILL BE RE-OPENED THURSDAY

Recorder Grants Two More Days For Defense to Find Mysterious Witness

The verdict in the case of Mr. Ross Kennedy, who was tried at the Monday morning session of the Recorder's Court, will be rendered Thursday, according to a decision of Recorder Empie at yesterday morning's session of the court. A stay of 24 hours was granted Monday, to allow the defense to locate a certain witness. However, they were unable to find him, and the conclusion of the case was postponed until Thursday.

The verdict in the case of Mr. J. R. Kennedy, deputy collector of internal revenue, which was left open at the conclusion of his trial last week will not be made public until Mr. Kennedy returns to the city. He is at present in another part of the State, looking after official business.

Only two cases were passed on yesterday. The first was that of Maggie Bentley and Sis Baldwin, charged with larceny. The evidence, however, was insufficient and the case was dismissed. Jacob Brown and David Willis were taxed with the costs for engaging in a personal difficulty. Brown didn't have the necessary cash, however, so he will lodge with the county for a few weeks in default.

SCRAP AT UNION STATION

Two Colored Youths Wage Battle With Brick Bats.

George Johnson and James Hill, two colored near sports, decided yesterday afternoon that the Union Station was a suitable place to give an illustration of some of the battles of the European war. Consequently they loaded up with brick bats and proceeded to bombard each other. The fusillade went along merrily until Policeman A. D. Smith, decided to appoint himself a board of arbitration and end the affair. The boys are now occupying cells in the municipal bastile.

DR. STOVALL ELECTED AS COUNTY PHYSICIAN

To Give Only Part of Time to Duties of This Position.

Resignation of Dr. John Thames as Assistant County Officer Accepted With Regret by the Board of Health

Following the acceptance with regret of the resignation of Dr. John Thames, assistant county health officer, who has been elected city health officer of Winston-Salem, the New Hanover Board of Health yesterday afternoon at its regular semi-monthly meeting voted to abolish the office formerly held by Dr. Thames and create in its stead the position of county physician, who is to give only a part of his time to its duties at a smaller salary, his services being devoted largely to the treatment of the indigent poor.

Dr. Arnold Stovall was elected to the position of county physician and will assume his duties on October 1st. Dr. Stovall will continue the practice of his profession but will give such time as may be necessary to his official duties. He came to Wilmington two years ago after having practiced his profession for several years in Gastonia. He is a native of Georgia but took his medical course in the medical department of the University of Pennsylvania. Members of the Board of Health expressed themselves yesterday as feeling fortunate in being able to secure his services for this position.

After reading the regular monthly reports, Dr. Thames, who has during his term of office with the Board of Health acted as clerk to that body, submitted his resignation in a letter which was read by Chairman McGirt:

"Sept. 12, 1916.

"The Board of Health, Wilmington and New Hanover county.

"Gentlemen: Having been tendered the position of Health Officer for the city of Winston-Salem, I desire herewith to present by resignation as Assistant County Health Officer, the same to take effect October 1, 1916.

"In severing my connection with your Honorable Board, I desire to express my deep appreciation of your unfailing consideration and kindness. In going into my new field of endeavor, I am sustained by the confidence you have heretofore placed in me and it shall be my earnest endeavor through my efforts for the welfare of the people of Winston-Salem to reflect credit upon the Board of Health of Wilmington and New Hanover county.

"Very respectfully,

"JOHN THAMES,"

"Assistant County Health Officer."

Upon motion of Dr. J. B. Cranmer the resignation was accepted with regret and the following resolution unanimously adopted and ordered placed upon the minutes:

"Whereas, Dr. John Thames, who for five years has served as assistant health officer for Wilmington and New Hanover county, has been called to the health officership of Winston-Salem, and,

"Whereas, the services rendered by Dr. John Thames to the citizens of Wilmington and the county of New Hanover have been invariably faithful and efficient under most difficult and trying circumstances throughout his long term of office:

"Be it resolved, That the Board of Health of New Hanover county spread upon its minutes this expression of its appreciation of his services and the sincere regret it feels upon his departure."

All of the members of the board assured Dr. Thames of their best wishes as he leaves the city and expressed regret that he would no longer be with the Health Department. Dr. Thames with evident feeling thanked the members of the board for their expressions of high regard and declared that this would be an incentive to him in his new position to exert his best efforts.

Dr. Nesbitt stated to the board that after conference with Dr. Cranmer and Dr. Slocum, the physicians on the Board of Health, regarding the medical features of the Health Department, it had been decided to recommend that the position of assistant health officer be abolished and to employ instead a county physician at a salary of $1,200 a year, who is to use the automobile of the health department when needed and who would give only a part of his time to the work of the office, and to recommend further that the clerical work of the department, formerly performed by Dr. Thames, should be combined with that of food inspector whose salary would be increased from $1,000 to $1,200 a year as a consequence of his increased duties. This would effect a saving of $400 a year, he stated, as the assistant health officer has been receiving $1,800 a year.

Dr. Slocum pointed out that under the new system as there had been under the former one, that there would be many complaints made and he thought that it ought to be understood by the public that no complaints would be considered except those made in writing but that if they were made in writing to the department that they would be gone into carefully.

Prof. Washington Catlett thought that under the proposed change that the schools of the county would not be treated fairly as Dr. Thames had been able to render splendid service through his lectures in the schools and the medical examination of children. He was assured by Dr. Nesbitt that this part of the work of the Health Department would not be neglected.

Upon motion of Dr. Slocum, the board voted to abolish the office of assistant health officer and to create in its stead that of city and county physician.

Upon motion of Mayor P. Q. Moore, seconded by Dr. Slocum, the board unanimously elected Dr. Arnold Stovall as county physician to perform such duties as are provided for in the health regulations.

Dr. Cranmer moved the election of Mr. H. R. Aiken, food inspector of the city and county, as clerk to the board to perform such clerical duties as are required of him and he was elected to this position.

Upon motion of Dr. Slocum, the board voted to recommend to the Board of County Commissioners and City Council that the salary of the county physician be made $1,200 and that of food

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The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. 50c.

ROTARY CLUB WOULD HELP FAYETTEVILLE

Some Members Doubt If Armor Factory Can Be Secured

Assurance of Desire to Co-Operate, If Feasible Project, Sent By Committee—Join in Inviting Hardware Association.

While members of the Wilmington Rotary Club expressed themselves as unanimously in favor of co-operating with Fayetteville in every way possible in building up the progressive city on the upper Cape Fear, doubt was expressed by many as to the feasibility of securing the proposed government armor plate factory at that place, at the meeting and luncheon of the club yesterday afternoon. After much discussion the matter was left in the hands of a committee, which later sent a message to those working in behalf of the project that while Wilmington desired to co-operate, as far as possible, it was doubtful if it was a practicable proposition to secure the armor plate factory.

An invitation committee was appointed with authority to extend invitations to conventions to come to Wilmington and to appoint sub-committees to look after their entertainment following a discussion as to the advisability of inviting the Hardware Association of the Carolinas to meet here next July. Mr. George P. Galvin, in urging the extending of an invitation to the hardware men, suggested that Wilmington can get no better publicity tha through entertaining visitors at such gatherings.

The meeting of the hardware men would be attended by between 300 and 400 business men from North and South Carolina, Mr. Joe Jacobi stated, and he believed that Wilmington had an excellent opportunity to secure the convention. He recalled that when the last meeting of the hardware men was held here, that weather conditions were not very favorable.

Mr. Edward P. Bailey suggested that in view of the fact that City Council has authority under the charter to spend as much as $10,000 annually for advertising purposes and no more desirable form of publicity can be obtained than through conventions, that a committee be appointed to take up the matter with the City Fathers. He was informed that a movement is now under way, having for its object the securing of a general fund raised annually to entertain conventions, in which all the various civic, commercial and official organizations are to join.

Chairman W. A. McGirt, of the New Hanover Board of Commissioners, reported that the survey of the Wilmington-Fayetteville highway had been completed at a cost of about $1,500 and that several of the counties through which it passes, including New Hanover, have already paid their pro rata parts.

A lively discussion was precipitated when Mr. John A. Livingston moved that Wilmington should join hands with Fayetteville in securing the government armor plate factory for that city. Mr. George P. Galvin thought that it would be doing Wilmington an injustice as he did not think it at all possible for Fayetteville to secure the factory as there are many other places that are located much more advantageously. He pointed out that Germany in the European war had gained a great advantage over France by seizing the munition factories which were located near the frontier.

Fayetteville has ever been one of the staunchest friends that Wilmington has had, said Mr. Joe N. Jacobi, who called attention to the position geographically which the City-by-the-Sea occupies, making it very important to have the support of the interior towns. He believed that Wilmington should join hands in helping to secure the armor plate factory for the upper Cape Fear city. As the matter had to be passed upon by government experts, no harm could be done and he felt sure that those in charge of the movement could be depended upon to do the right thing.

The motion was finally amended to authorize the appointment of a committee of three, who should take such action as was considered wise. President Roger Moore appointed Messrs. George P. Galvin, Milton Calder and John A. Livingston.

On motion of Mr. Abe Einstein, a committee was appointed to look into the question of securing better service on the Clyde Line, which is composed of Messrs. Abe Einstein, Joe N. Jacobi and J. R. Williams.

Rev. F. B. Clausen, Joe N. Jacobi and J. C. Williams were introduced as new members of the club and each made a short talk expressing their appreciation of this honor.

Mr. Morris Lipinsky, an enthusiastic member of the Asheville Rotary Club, was introduced and made a short talk in which he pointed out among other things that Rotary does for its members that of giving them the ability to talk in gatherings because of the informal nature of the meetings. He suggested that weekly meetings should be held instead of bi-weekly. He expected to be in the city much of the time, he stated, and it would always give him great pleasure to attend the meetings of the club.

Mr. Horace Springer was called to the chair and presided while Secretary Meares Harriss was at his accustomed post as secretary.

Secretary Harris devised a new form of securing revenue for the club by getting a motion passed that every man who called another "Mister" at one of the meetings of the club should be fined ten cents. He collected several dollars through this means at yesterday's session and his face fairly gleamed with delight. The joke was on him, however, when he gravely rose to his feet and addressed a fellow member as "Mister" and had to hand over ten cents to the fund.

Cotton Advances to 14 3-4c.

Cotton on the Wilmington market yesterday advanced one quarter of a cent, the quotation being 14 3-4. This compares with a quotation of 9 1-2 cents on the same date last year. According to the records at the Chamber of Commerce, shipments to this port yesterday totalled only 73 bales, bringing the receipts since August 1st, the beginning of the new season, to 11,671 bales. Receipts on the same date last year were 471 bales and a total of 7,132 since the beginning of the 1915 season.

NEGROES WHO ROBBED CHINAMAN CONVICTED

Various And Sundry Pickaninies Faced Judge Connor

Rapid Disposal of Cases In Superior Court Probably Will Result In Adjournment Today—Convict Foreman to be Tried.

It was a dusky bunch of humanity that occupied the attention of Superior Court yesterday and practically all of the youngsters were up on charges of having at various and sundry times entered the home of B. F. Sams, a respected Chinaman, living in East Wilmington, while the latter was away from home, and carrying off things. This practice became quite a nuisance until the county officers "laid" for the bunch and corralled a number of them. The jury evidently believed that such depredations ought to be stopped for some half dozen were convicted and judgment will be pronounced by the court today.

What was originally scheduled for a two weeks' term of court will probably end today. When adjournment was taken yesterday afternoon, the trial of Jesse Fuller, one of the dusky bunch, was oin progress. He is alleged to have been a member of the gang that systematically robbed Sams whenever the latter ventured to leave home to attend to business in the city or elsewhere.

The trial of Mr. Grady Cook, the convict guard and foreman, charged with the unlawful killing of Emanuel Pierce, a colored convict, will take place today. Woodus Kellum, Esq., will represent him while County Solicitor George Peschau will assist Solicitor Lyon.

Mr. I. P. Long, of Delgado, has reason to be thankful that the court decided to be more lenient in his case as he escaped a term of six months on the county roads by agreeing to pay $100, of which $55 is to go to Mr. L. J. Williamson whom he assaulted, carving him up somewhat after they had had a dispute, and the remainder to pay the costs of the case. Long entered a plea of guilty Monday.

Xanthos Bros., convicted of having violated the Sunday closing ordinance in Wilmington, were ordered by the court yesterday to pay a fine of $1 and the costs.

ELECTION RETURNS CREATED INTEREST IN WILMINGTON

Many Admirers of Messrs. Blease and Manning Made Anxious Inquiries

From the crowds that congregated in front of The Star's bulletin board last night, watching the election returns from South Carolina, and from the number of insistent telephone calls that came in, it is clear that Messrs. Richard I. Manning and Cole L. Blease are not without their ardent admirers in the Old North State.

From 7 o'clock last night until 2 this morning there was a steady stream of inquiries as to the outcome of the battle of ballots being waged in the land of the Palmetto. Partisanship was about evenly divided between the two, and neither would have taken a landslide in Wilmington. Women, too, were among those who anxiously inquired how things were coming on, and more than one feminine voice either said "That is just too darling for anything" or sighed that "it was too bad" when informed that Mr. Manning was leading Mr. Blease by an apparently safe majority.

"Hurrah, buddy, that's the stuff" fairly shouted one booming voice over the wire when the news was broken to him, "now you are talking, old boy, that is the way to tell it." Not five minutes later another man who was evidently backing the other side of the affair, yelled hoarsely, 'Say, what kind of stuff are you handing us? Who is handling your telegraph matter tonight? Come now, aren't you kidding?"

This was the kind of talk that some of the telephone inquirers were putting up, while down below on the sidewalk, a stranger might have been excusable in believing that he had wandered into Charleston or Columbia. It is safe to say that Messrs. Blease and Manning were far more interesting characters in Wilmington last night than any two Tar Teels in North Carolina.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed for record yesterday: Blanche Jenkins to C. B. Parmele, for $100 and other considerations, lot on the east side of Fifth street, 171 feet north of Nixon, 39 by 75 feet in size; C. B. Parmele to C. A. Williams, for $100 and other considerations, lot on the west side of 17th street, 51 feet south of Market, 37 by 52 feet in size.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Maude Deas, of Gallivant's Ferry, S. C., spent Monday in the city.

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Miss Gladys Price will be a student at Trinity College, at Durham, this year.

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—Mrs. J. A. Rudisill, of Hamlet, is visiting friends and relatives in the city.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rawls, of Wallace, were in the city yesterday, guests of The Wilmington.

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Miss Flora Creel spent yesterday in the city, the guest of Mrs. L. W. Stanley, of Whiteville.

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Dr. J. C. Wessell, accompanied by his wife, left last night for Baltimore, Md., on professional business.

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Miss Mabel Bowen, of Burgaw, was among those registered at The Hotel Wilmington yesterday.

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Miss Eliza Collins left Monday afternoon for Greensboro, where she will enter the State Normal College.

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Miss Ethel Buckner, of Burlington, who has been the charming guest of Miss Lucile Page at Audubon, has returned home.

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Miss Marian Allen has left for Forsyth, Ga., where she will be a student at the Bessie Tift College during the coming year.

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Miss Vivian Montgomery, of 218 N. Ninth street, left yesterday for Southern Pines, N. C., where she will be the guest of friends for several days.

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Misses Lizzie Martin and Santha Graham, of Aynor, S. C., returned to their home yesterday after a few days spent with friends in the city.

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Misses Mary Lathrop, Veritas Sanders, Rebecca Symmes, Mary Hall and Katie Pridgen have returned to the State Normal College at Greensboro.

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Mrs. L. R. Duvall and two children, Masters LeRoy and Emelius, left last evening for their former home in Asheville to spend a short while visiting friends.

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Mrs. B. L. Hale and daughter, Miss Mae, who have been spending several weeks with Mrs. T. J. Keenan, in East Wilmington, have returned to their home in New York.

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Col. and Mrs. J. Bryan Grimes, who have been spending some time with Mrs. J. E. O'Donnell, at Wrightsville Beach, have returned to their home in Raleigh. Colonel Grimes is the popular Secretary of State of North Carolina.

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A "Get Together" meeting will be held by the members of the Dock Street Christian Church on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. At this meeting plans will be made for another year's work. Rev. C. C. Ware, state secretary of the Christian Church, will deliver the address.

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The Parish Guild of the Church of the Good Shepherd will hold a social in the Parish Hall, at Sixth and Queen streets, Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Ice cream, cake and ome-made candy will be served. Proceeds will go to the church furnishing fund. The public is cordially invited.

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Misses Fannie and Nena Morrow, of Fayetteville, who have been spending some time at Wrightsville Beach, have returned home. Miss Nena is a pupil of John F. Carlson, of the School of Landscape Painting, at Woodstock, N. Y. She spent considerable time painting while at the beach and carried away four beautiful paintings. She will open a studio at the beach next season.

NEGRO BEATS HIS WIFE

"Judge" Bornemann Sends Him to Recorder's Court For Trial.

Weepng and wailing and tears and entreaties failed to move "Judge" Bornemann yesterday afternoon, when John James, colored, appeared before him for the second time within a week on a charge of beating his wife, Geneva James. The first time Geneva filed charges against her dusky spouse, the "Judge" patched things up and sent them back home to sin no more. But when John got his better half back again he started in to give her a lesson about having warrants issued for him, she claims.

This led to another warrant being issued, and John was called back to Justice Bornemann's court yesterday afternoon he was sent up to face the Recorder at this morning's session. Great was John's lamentations when he heard the decision of the court, but tears and wailings availed nothing against the decision of the "Judge."

RETURNS FROM BRUNSWICK

Rev. J. S. Crowley Conducted Services Sunday at New Hope Church.

Rev. J. S. Crowley, of Wilmington, has entered upon his new work in Brunswick county and returned yesterday from a trip of seevral days in that section. Last Sunday he conducted services at New Hope Presbyterian church and preached to two large congregations. He will have charge of several churches in that county. His many friends will be glad to know that he has completely recovered from his recent illness.

Mr. Crowley will conduct services in the First Presbyterian church next Sunday morning. Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, who is away on his vacation, which he is spending in West Virginia, is expected to return to the city next week.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

—Mr. R. C. DeRossett, Jr., returned to the University of North Carolina, at Chapel Hill.

—Messrs. John Perdew, Dougald and Lewis MacMillan have entered the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

—Mr. Edward Cardwell is among those who will attend the University of the South at Sewanee, Tenn., this year.

—Among those registered at The Hotel Wilmington yesterday were: D. Tucker Brown, Chapel Hill; George D. Rosser, Rocky Mount.

—Messrs. Earl Thompson, Virginius Hall, Claude Cooper and Eugene Craft have gone to Durham, where they will enter Trinity College.

—Mr. Jack Cranmer, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Cranmer, left yesterday for Chapel Hill, where he will enter the University of North Carolina.

—Among those who left for the various schools and colleges during the past week are Messrs. Carl and Willie Mahler and John Hinta, to Mt. Pleasant Collegiate Institute.

—Professor Jackson, of the Bingham school at Mebane, arrived in the city Saturday to spend a few days here in the interest of this well known institution. He is a guest at the Hotel Wilmington.

—Among the arrivals at The Hotel Orton yesterday were: M. B. Parrish, Clayton; K. K. Council, Durham; A. F. Doane, Beaufort; Frances Summerell, China Grove; J. N. Rafferty, Rocky Mount.

LOCAL DOTS

—After September 15th, the daily mail delivery service to Wrightsville Beach will be discontinued, according to an announcement made yesterday by Postmaster H. McL. Green.

—James Lewis, oclored, was arrested shortly after 8 o'clock last night at Eighth and Castle streets for an alleged assault on the person of Mary Hall, also colored. The arrest was made by Policeman J. E. Martin.

—One of the most successful bags of marsh hens that has been made this season was made yesterday at Porter's Neck, by a party consisting of Messrs. W. J. Bradshaw, Marcus Gray and R. C. Fergus. Each succeeded in winging 15, the limit allowed under the law.

BOYS' WORK SECRETARY MAKES SPLENDID REPORT

This Organization Has Had Wonderful Growth During Past Year.

The report of Mr. Odis B. Hinnant, secretary of the City Boys' Work, for the year ending September 1, shows that it has been a most successful one. From 15 members it has grown to 125, and the councils have increased from one to 10.

The statistical record shows that personal interviews were held with 417 boys, 183 were converted, 80 conferences were held with fathers, preachers and teachers, 320 addresses given, with a total attendance of 36,452.

Boy Scout troops were organized in the Methodist, Baptist, Presbyterian, Catholic and Episcopal churches. More than 125 fathers and sons attended the Fathers and Sons Banquet, at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. Visits have been made to the jails and hospitals, where some worthwhile work was done among boys.

Another interesting result of the labors of this organizations is the growth of the Boy Scout movement. The business men of the city have entered into a hearty spirit of co-operation in this movement. The camp at Lake Waccamaw was one of the most beneficial parts of the year's work.

TO OPEN NEW QUARTERS

Wilmington Furniture Company Moves to Front Street Store.

The Wilmington Furniture Company announces the opening of their new store at No. 208 North Front street, on Thursday and Friday, September 14 and 15. This is one of the biggest retail furniture houses in Eastern North Carolina, and it is expected that in their new quarters that they will be more successful than ever before.

Everything in this store will be absolutely new, it is announced. The entire stock has been purchased especially for this store and has never been opened elsewhere. Everything necessary to equip a home in first class style will be in stock and those looking for a display of furnishings worth while are invited to call and make an inspection. The many friends of the store will be given a most cordial welcome in the new quarters.

The store will be open during the evenings and the public is cordially invited to make it their headquarters when in need of anything that can be called furniture. The company's policy, "modest, honorable, straightforward, liberal," will be strictly adhered to in their new home.

CONVENTION CALL ISSUED

Twentieth Annual Meeting North Carolina Daughters of Confederacy to Be Held in Gastonia.

Mrs. W. M. Creasy, recording secretary of the North Carolina Division, United Daughters of the Confederacy, has sent out to 99 chapters in the State the official call for the 20th annual convention which will be held in Gastonia, October 11-13, inclusive. This call is signed by Mrs. Eugene Little, of Wadesboro, who is president of the Division, and by Mrs. Creasy.

Preparations are being made for one of the biggest and best conventions in the history of the organization. One of the important features to come up will be the revision of the constitution. Another matter of much interest to the members will be the pilgrimage to the Stonewall Jackson Training School, at Concord, where it is planned to dedicate a memorial bridge.

The call for the convention which was sent out the past week is as follows:

"The twentieth annual convention of the North Carolina Division, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will be held in Gastonia, October 11-13, 1916. Each chapter is entitled to one 'representative for the first seven members, and additional one for each additional twenty-five members.' But representation shall be based upon per capita tax paid.' Art. V, Sec. 2, constitution. Ex-State presidents, chapter presidents and leaders of children's chapters attend by virtue of their office.

"Chapters are urged to remember that the constitution is to be revised at this convention, and they should study it thoroughly before the convention so their representatives may knew what action to take when the revision comes up. Chapter presidents and treasurers are reminded that the treasurer-general closes her books by October first, and in order that their chapter get its full representation the dues must be sent to Miss Margaret Etheridge, State treasurer, Selma, N. C., before September 15. Two credential blanks and one chapter blank are enclosed. One credential blank must be sent to Mrs. B. H. Moore, chairman credentials committee, Gastonia, N. C., the other must be carried by the delegates to convention.

"Chapter report blank shall be carried to convention by representative or sent to recording secretary if no representative attends.

"Chapters are urged to comply with the ruling and notify the president of the Gastonia chapter, Mrs. J. F. Thomson, by September 15th, how many delegates from each chapter will attend convention. Opeing exercises will be held Tuesday night and all are urged to be present.

"By order of the president.

"MRS. EUGENE LITTLE,
"President.

"(MRS. W. M.)
GERTRUDE BAGBY CREASY,
"Recording Secretary."

OLD JUPE COMES BACK

Spills a Mean Irritating Drizzle on Wilmington and Vicinity

From behind lowering clouds, old Jupe made another sally on Wilmington yesterday, and with a mean, slow, uncomfortable little drizzle he managed to make quite a number of pedestrians soaking wet. It was a deceptive rain. To look at from the dry retreat of one's bed room it was not apparently raining hard, but venture out into it and it went through you like a Turkish bath.

It didn't fall with the rush and plunge that makes a person, even though he is getting a drenching, feel good in spite of himself but it came down with a slow teasing drizzle that wet you to the skin before you hardly realized that it was raining. Just the kind of a soaking you know, that makes a fellow want to fight nobody in particular and everybody in general.

The temperature, however, acted very gentlemanly yesterday, hovering between 63 and 74 and closing the official day with 71. It is a peculiar coincidence that the present cool snap which has brought typical October weather in the early part of September, began on the anniversary of last year's hottest day, September 10. The prediction for today is that old Jupe will probably remain over and be with us again.

MAKE FINE CATCHES

Bunch of Fishermen at Seashore Hotel Pier Land Nice Ones

A fishing party consisting of Messrs. R. D. Cronly, Jr., B. K. Myers, "Buck" Hayes, C. T. Stewart, D. H. Barnette and R. L. Sanders went out after the record at the Seashore Hotel pier at Wrightsville Beach yesterday. After angling for a while each of the Waltonites weighed their prize captures. When this was done the score stood as follows: Cronly 36; Myers 28; Hayes 26; Stewart 17; Barnette 16; Sanders 12.

Fueral of Young Son.

The funeral of little Calvin H. Carney, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Rossie J. Carney, whose death occurred yesterday morning at 2:15 o'clock, was conducted yeserday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the residence, No. 915 South Front street, by Rev. J. S. Crowley. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery.

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BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED

Number of Buildings Now in Process of Erection.

Among the building permits recently issued by Building Inspector Charles Schnibben, is one for the Rhodes & Underwood Company for the erection of the Church of the Cavenant, at Fifteenth and Market streets, to cost $47,000, which is being built by Messrs. James and W. H. Sprunt as a memorial to their mother. This company has also received a permit to build an addition to the St. James church Sunday school building, to cost $3,000. This is being erected by Mr. and Mrs. George B. Elliott as a memorial to their daughter. A permit has also been granted to the same firm for the addition to Grace Street church. It will cost $14,000.

Other permits issued were: Oliver Carter, Grocery store, Seventeenth and Orange, $300; R. A. Burnett, store and dwelling, Front and Wright, $1,500; W. C. Yarborough, dwelling, Fifteenth and Princess streets, $4,000; Sternberger & Foster, Carolina Court, $3,000; William Struthers, Jr., dwelling, Wrightsville avenue, $2,000.

Meyers-Hutchison-Wicat.

"A Girl, Two Lads and a Piano" in a brand new act—Victoria today.
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Extra Specials for Wednesday Selling at the Bon Marche

Do not let the rain keep you away from our sale for it will continue only a few days longer and you should take advantage of the opportunities offered you now.

Below we mention only a few of the Special Values that will be on sale Wednesday.

Waists that were on sale at 49c and 59c the other day, worth up to $1.00; 2 limited to a customer; on sale from 9 to 12 o'clock this morning **38c**

Silk Waists in crepe de chine and pussywillow taffeta, that sold up to as high as $5.00; Special from nine to ten o'clock, for ..... **$1.39 each**

$3.50 Long Kid Gloves, sixteen button length; Special from 9 to 12 this morning ..... **87c pair**

50c Neckwear that has been selling for 29c; Special from 9 to 12 this morninng at **19c**

50c Neckwear that has been selling at 19c; Special today at **12½c**

15c Towels; Special today for **8 1-3c**, 4 limited to a customer.

H. & W. Corset Waists for Misses and Children; 75c and $1.00 grades; Special at **59c**

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New Wool Dress Goods

For Street and School Wear...

Not new, as regards weave, because they are the same staple materials that have been found so good that women use them year after year. But These Are All New Shipments of These Goods—Serges, Diagonals, Granite Cloths, Poplins, Gaberdines and Taffetas.

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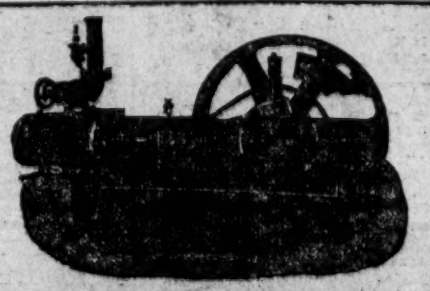

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We Are Pleased to Announce the Opening of Our New Store at 208 North Front Street

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You Are Cordially Invited. We Are Anxious for the Lovers of Good Furniture, the Admirers of That Which Is Attractive and Pleasing in Home Furnishings to Visit Us During These Two Opening Days. We Will be Open Evenings.

Note—This stock is absolutely new; Every piece bought especially for this store; not one piece ever opened elsewhere.

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Policy—Our policy will be as always; Modest, Honorable, Straightforward, Liberal.

We have goods from the following well known factories: Karpen Bros., upholstered goods; West Michigan Furniture Co., solid mahogany bed room and dining room furniture, McDougall and "Kitchen Maid" Kitchen Cabinets; Block Go-Carts, Jewel Ranges; Simmons drawn steel porcelain finished beds; Bernstein three-piece beds; Ostermoor mattresses; Bailey Table Co.'s solid mahogany library tables; Haviland and other well known makes of French, Austrian and German china dinner and tea sets.

Our line of medium grade furniture is complete.

Wilton Velvet, Smyrna, Axminster and Body Brussell Rugs.

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THE WILMINGTON FURNITURE COMPANY

FAIRMONT THE LEADER FOR SALES IN AUGUST

Four Tobacco Markets in State Failed to Make Report.

They are Liable to Penalty—Kinston Second In Amount Sold—Wilmington Corporation Chartered. Cotton Mill Grows.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 12.—There were four tobacco warehouses that failed to make report to the State Department of Agriculture on August sales and are therefore liable for $25 penalty each to any citizen who will institute the suits. They are Dills warehouse, New Bern; Central Brick warehouse, Wilson; Vanceboro Tobacco Warehouse Co., Vanceboro, and Farmers' warehouse, Robersonville.

The sales for August totalled 14,781,581 pounds on 29 markets reporting. This was nearly double the sales for August last year when the sales were only 7,639,722 pounds.

Fairmont led with 3,133,367 pounds and Kinston was second was 3,070,391 pounds. Other sales were: Ahoskie 194,886; Ayden 80,879; Clinton 45,975; Fair Bluff 671,583; Farmville 656,000; Goldsboro 373,603; Greenville 1,657,309; LaGrange 407,531; Louisburg 48,446; Madison 20,060; Pine Top 204,986; Robersonville 253,454; Reidsville 132,055; Richlands 298,626; Rocky Mount 379,544; Spring Hope 161,902; Smithfield 477,892; Stoneville 4,410; Snow Hill 184,641; Winston-Salem 308,545; Wendell 108,439; Wilson 1,456,272; Washington 382,852; Wallace 305,028; Warsaw 449,647; Williamston 394,998; Zebulon 62,264.

Capital Stock Increased.

A charter amendment was issued today for the Monarch Cotton Mills Co., of Dallas, N. C., whereby the capital stock is increased from $100,000 to $225,000 by the issuance of $100,000 of common stock. There is $25,000 preferred stock outstanding. C. B. Armstrong is the president of the corporation.

There is a charter for the Standard Cement Construction Co., of Wilmington, capital $15,000 for general cement construction contract work. The incorporators are J. D. Walker, Jr., Chas. D. O'Neal, J. B. Davis and G. A. P. Bowman.

Finishes 25 Years of Service

Rounding out a continuous service as rector with the Church of the Good Shepherd for twenty-five years September 14, Rev. I. McK. Pittinger, D. D., held Sunday in that church a special service in which all the church people of the city participated at the special instance of Rev. M. A. Barber, of the parish of Christ Church, whose congregation and choir shared the special service.

Dr. Pittinger determined some months ago to retire from the active rectorship of this church and the vestry has provided that he become for the remainder of his life rector emeritus without active duties, but with a salary attached. And in the meantime the vestry is moving for a new rector and hopes to announce a new pastor very soon.

Bishop Joseph Blount Cheshire and all the local Episcopal clergy participated in the services Sunday and the service was of special significance as there has only recently been completed wholely during the ministry of Dr. Pittinger the handsomest church building in this section of the country, a splendid granite and tile edifice, the church plant being valued at fully $75,000.

Colleges Opening.

This week and next will mark the opening of all the public schools and colleges in Raleigh and bring again into the regular school work more than 12,000 school and college students, Raleigh being one of the biggest educational centers in this part of the country. There are nearly 5,000 public school children in Raleigh township and the remainder are in the A. & M., St. Marys, Peace, Meredith College, King's Business College and the two negro schools for higher education and vocation training — Shaw University and St. Augustine School.

AT KENNEDY MEMORIAL HOME

Second Annual Meeting of Orphanage Branch Yesterday.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Sept. 12.—The second annual meeting of the Kennedy Memorial home, eastern branch of the Thomasville Baptist Orphanage, at Falling Creek, Lenoir county, was held today, with a crowd of three hundred people in attendance. Rev. M. L. Kesler, general manager of the Thomasville orphanage, presided over the programme of exercises which occupied most of the day.

Following the afternoon half of the programme, a "kids' carnival" was held, participated in by a host of little folks and directed by Superintendent K. R. Curtis of the city schools. The carnival was a frolic on a big scale, with improvised athletic events featuring it. Children comprised no small part of the assemblage. The Sunday school of the First Baptist church, in this city, held its annual picnic in conjunction with the dinner served the visitors on the grounds. The orphans of the home, a bright-faced lot, swelled the throng of youngsters.

BIG DEMOCRATIC RALLY AT WHITEVILLE SEPTEMBER 28

Ex-Governor Glenn to be the Speaker. Great Crowd Expected.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Whiteville, N. C., Sept. 12.—Preparations are being made for a great Democratic rally here on Thursday, September 28. There will be a parade to form at the depot upon the arrival of former Governor R. B. Glenn at 11:30 and from there the thousands will march to the court house where the ex-governor will speak. The coming of ex-Governor Glenn is a guarantee of a tremendous crowd of Columbus citizens, for he is a favorite among the people here. There will be a basket picnic.

On the 28th the Radcliffe Chautauqua starts for a three days' entertainment, both afternoon and night. The Chautauqua will be the best ever seen in this county.

ONSLOW TO HEAR MORRISON

Charlotte Man to Speak at Jacksonville Sept. 23—Sinclair to Speak. News Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Jacksonville, N. C., Sept. 12.—Hon. Cameron Morrison, Charlotte attorney, orator, more generally known here as one of North Carolina's greatest campaign speakers, will be here and make an address to the voters of Onslow county, Saturday, September 23rd. That Mr. Morrison is one of the State's most able speakers, who does not speak because he desires any office, but for the love of his party and friends, tends to make him a speaker most desired to be heard and appreciated.

A big time is expected on the 23rd. The event will be thoroughly advertised and a large outpeuring of Onslow Democracy is looked for. Mr. Morrison, although never having visited Onslow is pleasantly known by a number of people here, who vouch for him as being one easily able to expound the cause of Democracy. The speaking will take place in the court house and citizens from adjoining counties are expected for the big rally. So far there has been a dullness in the political activities in this county and it is believed Mr. Morrison's speech will be the signal for the race to the end. As to Onslow, it will roll up its usual Democratic majority and leaders are predicting that it will be increased.

Jacksonville's new enterprise, the Jacksonville Bottling Works, is now operating its plant, and is receiving excellent patronage. All kinds of sodas are being bottled and it is understood the right to bottle Pepsi and Mint Cola has been secured and this will also be bottled.

Hon. Neil A. Sinclair, of Fayetteville, will make a Democratic address here October 9th. Mr. Sinclair is one of the electors-at-large, is a forceful speaker and will doubtless have a large crowd here to hear his address

The rains of last week were the heaviest that have visited this section in over two years. Several automobile parties from here who were in different parts of the county, three at Swansboro, were marooned for several days. All the bridges between this place and that town, and many in other sections of the county, were washed away and the roads were done a good deal of damage.

A meeting of the committee to draft plans, etc., for the building to be erected by the Bank of Onslow on their lot on the corner of Court and Old Bridge street, will be held this week when it is thought such arrangements will be made that work will shortly begin.

Lacking three hundred feet of the necessary wire cable, the Jacksonville Light Company is now handicapped and cannot turn on the alternating current which they have been preparing to do until this cable can be secured. Efforts were made to get this material in nearby cities, but this proved in vain, and it is understood now that it has been shipped from Philadelphia. As soon as it arrives it will be placed and Jacksonville will then be lighted by one of the most modern plants of any small town in the State.

Mr. J. W. Turner, prosperous planter of Cleveland county, was here last week, having come to this part of the State with his friend, Dr. R. W. Ward, who has been spending the summer in Shelby. It was Mr. Turner's first visit east, and while here was given a trip to New River beach.

Three hundred dollars has baen set aside by the board of commissioners of Onslow county, which is required by the government before a cotton grader is sent to a county. Efforts by the Farmers' Union of the county to have this done met with success, and for the first time in its history Onslow will have an expert grader of cotton.

TO INSTITUTE SUDAN TEMPLE

Shriners' Event of State-Wide Interest at New Bern in November.

(Special Star Correspondence).

New Bern, Sept. 12.—Shriners from all over the country are coming to New Bern on November 22 to attend the institution of the new Sudan Temple and patrols from Charlotte, Charleston Richmond, Norfolk and other cities will participate in the exercises.

It is estimated that there will be at least a thousand visiting Shriners in the city on this occasion and the local members are looking forward to that date with much anticipation.

There will be a spectacular parade, in which the various patrols will participate, business sessions and a grand banquet and the event is of note and interest all over the United States.

ELEVEN NEW BRICK STORES BUILT SINCE LAST JANUARY

Whiteville Merchants Getting Busy—Mr. H. B. Register Dead

(Special Star Correspondence).

Whiteville, N. C., Sept. 12.—Mr. H. B. Register, who died here Saturday night in the 79th year of his age, was buried at the old family cemetery Sunday afternoon. He was the father of Mrs. F. D. Martin, Mrs. R. H. Rockwell and Miss Callie Register, of Whiteville.

The new brick stores now going up here will soon be completed. This makes 11 brick stores to be built since the fire last January.

Whiteville merchants are getting in fall goods and already the season shows signs of business activity.

TOBACCO FARMERS PROSPEROUS

Sales and Receipts in Greenville Far Ahead of Those Last Year.

Greenville, N. C., Sept. 12.—Greenville's tobacco sales for August, 1916, ran far over and above those for August, 1915. And the prices were correspondingly far ahead. Tobacco is being rushed to market. Sales are the largest in the history of the market.

The August, 1916, sales were 1,852,758 pounds. For this the farmers got $346,919.22. The average for the entire August sales was $20.99 per hundred pounds. In August last year the sales were just 316,563 pounds, bringing only $27,169.46, and the average was only $8.75 per hundred poundse.

REVIVAL AT FAIR BLUFF

Drawing Crowds That Pack Big Warehouses—Intense Interest Shown.

Fair Bluff, N. C., Sept. 12.—The all-absorbing thought in the mind of the people of Fair Bluff and the country near by is of Evangelist John W. Ham and his wonderful exposition of the word of God and the effect it produces on his hearers. Preaching as he does, which seems to be with inspired power, his words falling fast and pointed on attentiv ears, are sinking deep in the hearts of all who hear him. His first week here ended Sunday night, and his first invitation for all who wished to be prayed for was extended to the many hundreds who filled the large brick warehouse, where his services are held. Scores upon scores accepted the invitation and after prayer a large number professed conversion and will join the church of their choice.

The song service of the meeting, led by Prof. Furman Betts, is a feature that adds great interest to the services. The evangelist's estimable wife, with her inimitable performance in rendering the accompaniments on the piano, lend an appreciative charm to the song service, and her solos with organ accompaniment by Professor Betts, seem to rise up to the great white throne in love and adoration.

Fair Fluff is blessed in having such faithful, earnest workers for God among her people and the people's hearts have gone out to them and the spokesman for them and his God. Rev Mr. Ham's engagement here will close on next Sunday. ELIHU MULDROW.

Jess Willard Says: "Take Nuxated Iron

If you want plenty of 'stay there' strength and endurance and health and muscles like mine."

Ordinary Nuxated Iron will often increase strength and endurance of the delicate nervous folks 200 per cent in two weeks' time.

I consider that plenty of iron in my blood is the secret of my great strength, power and endurance.

Jess Willard

A hitherto untold secret of his great victory over Jack Johnson and Frank Moran.

SPECIAL NOTE—Dr. E. Sauer, a well known physician, who has studied widely in both this country and Europe, has been specially employed to make a thorough investigation into the real secret of the great strength, power and endurance of Jess Willard, and the marvelous value of nuxated iron as a strength builder.

NEW YORK.—Upon being interviewed at his apartment in the Colonial Hotel, Mr. Willard said: "Yes, I have a chemist with me to study the value of different foods and products as to their power to produce great strength and endurance, both of which are so necessary in the prize ring. On his recommendation I have often taken nuxated iron and I have particularly advocated the free use of iron by all those who wish to obtain great physical and mental power. Without I am sure that I would never have been able to whip Jack Johnson so completely and easily as I did, and while training for my bout with Frank Moran, I regularly took nuxated iron and I am certain that it was a most important factor in my winning so easily." Continuing, Dr. Sauer said, "Mr. Willard's case is only one of hundreds which I could cite from my own personal experience which proves conclusively the astonishing power of nuxated iron to restore strength and vitality, 'even in most complicated chronic conditions."

"Not long ago a man came to me who was nearly half a century old, and asked me to give him a preliminary examination for life insurance. I was astonished to find him with the blood pressure of a boy of 20 and as full of vigor, vim and vitality as a young man; in fact, a young man he really was, notwithstanding his age. The secret he said was taking iron—nuxated iron had filled him with renewed life. At 30 he was in bad health; at 40 careworn and nearly all in. Now, at 50, a miracle of vitality, and his face beaming with the buoyancy of youth. As I have said a hundred times over, iron is the greatest of all strength builders. If people would only throw away patent medicines and nauseous concoctions and take simple nuxated iron, I am convinced that the lives of thousands of persons might be saved, who now die every year from pneumonia, grippe, consumption, kidney, liver and heart trouble, etc. The real and true cause of which started their diseases was nothing more or less than a weakened condition brought on by lack of iron in the blood. Iron is absolutely necessary to enable your blood to change food into living tissue. Without it, no matter how much or what you eat, your food merely passes through you without doing you any good. You don't get the strength out of it, and, as a consequence you become weak, pale and sickly looking just like a plant trying to grow in a soil deficient of iron. If you are not strong or well you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of ordinary nuxated iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see for yourself how much you have gained. I have seen dozens of nervous, rundown people who were ailing all the while, double their strength and endurance and entirely get rid of all symptoms of dyspepsia, liver and other troubles in from ten to fourteen days' time simply by taking iron in the proper form. And this after they had in some cases been doctoring for months without obtaining any benefit. But don't take the old forms of reduced iron, iron acetate or tincture of iron simply to save a few cents. You must take iron in a form that can be easily absorbed and assimilated like nuxated iron if you wish it to do you any good, otherwise it may prove worse than useless.

Many an athlete or prize fighter has won the day simply because he knew the secret of great strength and endurance and filled his blood with iron before he went into the affray, while many another has gone to inglorious defeat simply for the lack of iron.— E. Sauer, M. D.

NOTE—Nuxated Iron, recommended above by Dr. Sauer, is not a patent medicine nor secret remedy, but one which is well known to druggists and whose iron constituents are widely prescribed by eminent physicians everywhere. Unlike the older inorganic iron products, it is easily assimilated, does not injure the teeth, make them black, nor upset the stomach; on the contrary, it is a most potent remedy in nearly all forms of indigestion, as well as for nervous, rundown conditions. The manufacturers have such great confidence in Nuxated Iron that they offer to forfeit $100.00 to any charitable institution if they cannot take any man or woman under 60 who lacks iron and increase their strength 200 per cent or over in four weeks' time, provided they have no serious organic trouble. They also offer to refund your money if it does not at least double your strength and endurance in ten days' time. It is dispensed by all good druggists.

THEATRICAL

If ever surprise, astonishment, wonder and bewilderment were written on anyone's face it was on the face of the dignified, elderly gentleman with old-fashioned telescope valise as he stands in the midst of a band of busy office employes. And there is plenty of reason for it.

In fact, almost anyone would be at least mildly astonished if he should leave his place of business with a few incompetent, lazy employees, and, returning within two weeks, find that he was the head of a firm employing a whole roomful of real workers who have enough to keep them busy every minute. That is what is taking place in the illustration. Jeremiah Fogie, after a two weeks' absence from his run-down shoe factory, where business was so poor it could not keep his few employes busy, has returned to find them all working overtime.

This is only one of scores of logical, side-splitting situations that occur in Allen Curtis' production of "You Want Something." The story is a riot of laughter. It is perfect from a technical standpoint; its situations are well worked out. In all of them there is a laugh and in most of them a roar. In it is seen once more the inimitable Max Asher, with Gale Henry and William Franey, and it is in two rousing reels, and voted the greatest two-reel comedy of the year.

There is also another great two-reeler on today's bill at the Bijou, "The Panel Game" starring that Southern firm beauty, Roberta Wilson, with G. Raymond Nye and Peggy Coudray in the leading roles. It's a double feature bill of great dimensions at the Bijou today.

Rare Treat at Grand.

It is indeed a rare treat in store for Grand patrons today, in the presentation of that great Brady made feature, "The Summer Girl," starring Mollie King, the fascinating photoplay favorite, with Arthur Ashley, the strong dramatic star. And the greatest of all is the fact that this great feature was filmed in Asheville, North Carolina, amid the beautiful springs and summer scenes, amid the daisy patches and running mountain brooks. A company was in Asheville and surrounding territory for a month this summer making this feature, and it should prove of special interest to Grand patrons today. It is under the personal direction of Edwin August.

The story, taken from L. V. Jefferson's big summer idyl, of the same name, is a production brimming over with the life of living happily, with great comedy situations and quaint humor, and never have these great stars been seen to a better advantage.

The story deals with a rich young girl who goes down South to spend the winter, plays the role of a mischievous young country girl, falls in love with an artist, poor but honest.

As success crowns the efforts of the latter, he seeks Mary, his country girl idol, only to find that she has gone to the city. From the laundress wheer Mary stopped, the artist learns her identity, and how she had outwitted. Succeeding in getting her address, seeks her out, and after a thrilling courtship makes her his wife.

New Show at Victoria.

Today the Johnson Musical Vaudeville Company present a brand new show, with all new specialties, new song and dancing numbers, in fact, something new from every member of that all-star aggregation of artists. The bill for today and tomorrow is "The Mix Up" and it is a roaring farce comedy with some of the funniest situations, ever seen. "Jake" (Guy Johnson) is furnished the best opportunity of the entire week for some of his very greatest blackface stunts and this alone will be worth the price of admission.

Some of the prettiest song and dancing numbers yet are included in this bill, a great special feature being the presentation of "My Killarney Rose" in beautiful motion pictures and sung by the Johnson Quartette, led by George Weist. This is indeed a treat that is bound to win. Grace Hutchison, instead of "Broadway Blues," will present "I'm Going Back to Nebraska," and will also participate in a great new piano and singing vaudeville act by Meyers and West, who made the greatest hit of the company in Monday's and Tuesday's show. Another great song hit, presented by Miss Alice Sohn and Sextette is "Good Bye, Good Luck, God Bless You," one of the latest songs that is all the rage on Broadway. The opening number, "There's a Land Beyond the Rainbow," is another very beautiful melody.

Harry Meyers and George Weist present their very greatest piano and singing act today—it's absolutely bigger than yesterday—and that's saying a mouthful.

"Gloria's Romance" Today.

Today, instead of tomorrow, the Royal presents the current chapter of that great serial achievement, "Gloria's Romance," the crowning film achievement of that fascinating Broadway Star, Miss Billie Burke. The chapter for this week is absolutely full of thrills from the first to the last chapter, and is replete with beautiful scenery as a background against which some of the most startling and absorbing action of the entire series takes place.

The feature for today in addition to "Gloria's Romance" is one that the Royal management wishes that every regular patron of the show could see. It is a production for which double the admission price could be charged and yet everyone would be satisfied. It is "The Danger Signal," a Kleine-Edison feature starring Arthur Hood and Ruby Hoffman in the two leading roles. "The Danger Signal," it may be said without fear of contradiction, is the very greatest feature that this company has ever produced. They nerved themselves for a master stroke and to make of this production a masterpiece, and the Motion Picture News says of it: "Plain, honest acting makes of this feature one of the greatest five-act productions I have seen in many months. It is extraordinary among pictures of today and remains in the memory as a big splash of red. It is a study, 'tis true—but a study that will fascinate you, enthrall you, for the space of an hour and a quarter. New effects were sought, even in the titles, and we can give it such a recommendation as falls to the lot of few films."

APPEAL IS ABANDONED

Judgment of Death Sentence on W. G. Collins is Affirmed.

(Special Star Telegram).

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 12.—W. G. Collins and his counsel have abandoned the appeal from death sentence against him in Halifax county for the murder of C. M. Hawkins last February. The appeal was to have been argued in the Supreme Court today, but the appeal was not perfected and no counsel appeared. Judgment of death sentence is consequently affirmed by the Supreme Court under the rule.

BILLIE BURKE
In a Scene From "Gloria's Romance" at the Royal Today.

VICTORIA

TODAY: Matinee 3:00---10c and 20c
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"GOOD OLD DAYS BACK HOME" Miss Wright.
"GOOD BYE; GOOD LUCK; GOD BLESS YOU." Miss Sohn and Sextette.
"DOLLY DIMPLE QUARTETTE" In a New Repertoire of Popular Songs.

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NOTICE.

I have this day sold my mercantile business, recently conducted by me at the corner of Miller and MacRae streets, in this city, to Mr. J. T. Lowrimore, and I bespeak for him a continuance of the liberal patronage extended me in the past.

Dated this August 29th, 1916.
FRANK P. LAMB.
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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

SLIGHT GAIN IN COTTON

Market Irregular and Opening Advances Give Way Under Reaction—Gain Maintained at Close

New York, Sept. 12.—The cotton market was irregular today and opening advances were followed by reactions, with December selling off from 15.45 to 15.22. Offerings were well absorbed on the declines, however, and there were rallies in the late trading with the close steady at 15.30 for December and a net advance of 1 to 3 points on the general list.

The opening was steady at an advance of 9 to 12 points in response to relatively firm cables and a renewal of the buying movement. Active months sold 15 to 16 points net higher shortly after the call, with October touching 15.25 and January 15.52. This represented a rally of over $2 per bale from the low level of Monday. Prices eased off but reactions of 9 to 12 points were followed by rallies following the publication of the Western belt forecast for frosts in northwestern sections of both Texas and Oklahoma. Buying failed to broaden, however, and prices eased off again when a rally to about 15.50 for January brought in a renewal of scattered selling. This decline carried active months to the lowest ground of the day with October selling at 15.08 and January at 15.31. There was a rally of 8 or 10 points late in the afternoon on renewed covering.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Oct.	15.18	15.25	15.05	15.13
Dec.	15.36	15.45	15.22	15.30
Jan.	15.46	15.51	15.31	15.39
March	15.65	15.69	15.47	15.57
May	15.81	15.85	15.67	15.74

Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands 15.30; no sales.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Middling, 14.75; receipts, 6,678; exports, 11,056; sales, 2,885; stock, 98,240.

Galveston—Middling, 15.10; receipts, 26,505; sales, 3,240; stock, 131,453.

Mobile—Middling, 14.75; receipts, 545; sales, 10; stock, 9,562.

Savannah—Middling, 14.88; receipts, 10,094; sales, 1,975; stock, 113,302.

Charleston—Middling, 14¾; receipts, 1,475; stock, 25,612.

Wilmington—Middling, 14¾; receipts, 65; stock, 29,553.

Texas City—Receipts, 1,869.

Norfolk — Middling, 15.00; receipts, 861; exports, 3,515; sales, 9; stock, 25,491.

Baltimore—Stock, 1,592.

Boston—Middling, 15.15; stock, 5,500.

Philadelphia—Middling, 15.55; stock, 1,052.

New York—Middling, 15.30; exports, 7,144; stock, 63,524.

Minor Ports—Stock, 17,854.

Total today—Receipts, 47,592; exports, 21,715; stock, 522,545.

Total for week—Receipts, 99,872; exports, 70,822.

Total for season—Receipts, 656,853; exports, 566,132.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling, 14.95; receipts, 13,603; shipments, 13,072; sales, 12,990; stock, 82,211.

Memphis — Middling, 15.25; receipts, 1,889; shipments, 193; sales, 700; stock, 47,840.

Augusta—Middling, 14.75; receipts, 5,716; shipments, 1,357; sales, 2,526; stock, 55,632.

St. Louis — Receipts, 243; shipments, 243; stock, 4,767.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 157; shipments, 78; stock, 13,043.

Little Rock—Middling, 14.75; receipts, 950; shipments, 444; sales, 444; stock, 11,188.

Dallas—Middling, 14.45; sales, 9,038.

Montgomery—Middling, 14.63; sales, 205.

Total today—Receipts, 27,558; shipments, 15,387; stock, 214,682.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET

Liverpool, Sept. 12.—Cotton: Spot firm; good middling, 9.52; middling 9.36; low middling 9.20; sales 8,000, 500 for speculation and export. Receipts 16,000. Futures steady. September 9.31½; September-October, 9.27; October-November, 9.24½; November-December, 9.21½; December-January, 9.20½; January-February, 9.20; February-March, 9.19; March-April, 9.13; April-May, 9.17½; May-June, 9.16½; June-July, 9.12; July-August, 9.08; August-September, 8.86.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS

New oYkr, Sept. 12.—Raw sugar, firm; sales 50,000 bags for prompt shipment and 30,000 for late september shipment; centrifugal, 5.37; molasses, 4.50; refined, firm.

Coffee—Spot, quiet; Rio 7s, 10c; Santos 4s, 11¾c.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, September 12. —Mercantile paper, 3½; sterling sixty day bills, 4.71¼; demand, 4.75¾; cables, 4.76 7-16; bar silver, 67¾; Mexican dollars, 52½. Government bonds, firm; railroad bonds, irregular. Time loans stronger; sixty days, 3¼@3½; ninety days, 3½@3¾; six months, 4@4¼. Call money, steady; ruling rate, 3.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

Market Nervous During the Day—Net Gain at the Close.

New Orleans, Sept. 12.—After a stiff bulge around the opening today the cotton market quieted down and during the remainder of the session moved nervously in narrow fluctuations. The opening gain was mainly in sympathy with a higher Liverpool market than due and reports of smaller offerings of spots in the interior of the belt.

Rather Heavy realising of profits on the part of recent buyers appeared to be the main reason for the checking of the advance. Reports of rain during the day and the forecast of more to come were considered unfavorable but did not do more than give the market a steady tone. Around the opening prices rose 20 to 22 points. From this, there was a gradual decline until at noon the trading months were practically at the level of yesterday's close. In the afternoon small rises took place and the close was at a net gain for the day of 6 to 9 points.

Closing bid: October 14.79; December 15.02; January 15.16; March 15.38; May 15.59.

Spot cotton steady, six points up. Sales on the spot 835 bales; to arrive 2,050 bales; middling 14.75

WHEAT SUFFERS DECLINE

Reported Heavy Defeat of Bulgarians in Macedonia Acted as a Weight on the Market.

Chicago, September 12. — Assertions that a heavy defeat had been suffered by the Bulgarians in Macedonia acted as a weight on the wheat market here today. The outcome was an unsettled close 2¾ to 3⅝c. net lower, with December at 1.51 and May at 1.51⅝ to 1.51¾. Other leading commodities shared in the decline. Corn, 1 to 1⅜; oats, ⅝ to 1, and provisions, 2½ to 35.

Close:

Wheat—December, 1.51; May, 1.51⅝.
Corn—December, 71⅝; May, 74⅞.
Oats—December, 47¾; May, 50⅜.
Pork—October, 26.45; January, 23.50.
Lard—October, 14.05; January, 13.47.
Ribs—October, 13.95; January, 12.50.

Cash garin:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.53½@1.54¾; No. 3, red, 1.47@1.50; No. 2, hard, 1.55½; No. 3, hard, 1.50½@1.55¼.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, 86@86¾; No. 4, yellow, 81¾@82¼; No. 4, white, 81¾@82¼.

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WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 12.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—45c.
ROSIN—$5.50 and $5.40.
TAR—$3.60-10½c.
CRUDE TURPENTINE—$4.60, $4.00, $3.00.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 36¾; rosin, $2.75 and $2.65; tar, $1.70-8c.; crude turpentine, $2.50, $2.50, $1.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine 18
Rosin 45
Tar 4
Crude Turpentine 19

Receipts — Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 4 casks; rosin, 4 barrels; tar, 25 barrels; crude turpentine, 42 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—14¼c.; quotations same day last year, 9½.

Receipts—73 bales; same day last year, 471 bales.

Total receipts since August 1, to date, 11,671 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 7,132 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Atlantic Coast Line—65 bales cotton; 5 casks spirits turpentine; 15 barrels rosin; 2 barrels tar; 19 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Thelma—5 casks spirits turpentine; 30 barrels rosin; 2 barrels tar.

Total—73 bales cotton; 10 casks spirits turpentine; 45 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar; 19 barrels crude turpentine.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Sept. 12.)

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, new, 75c. to 85c. bushel.
IRISH POTATOES—$1.00 to $1.15.
CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.
BEEF—Native dressed, 8c to 9c, dull.
PORK—Small, 10c. to 11c. per pound.
WOOL—Burry, 18 to 20c.; first class washed wool, 25c. to 28c.; highest grade, washed, 35c.
SHEEP—Old, good quality, gross, 2 1-2 to 3c pound. Lambs, best quality, 6 to 7c pound.
HIDES — Green salt, 12c. to 14c.
NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 22c.; sides and shouldeers, 17c. to 18c. per pound; good demand.
BEESWAX — Firm, 28c. per pound; good demand.
POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 45c to 50c.; spring, 20c. to 30c. head.
EGGS—30c. to 32c. dozen.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Sept. 12.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market weaker. Fancy hand-picked, 56c.; No. 1 machine picked, 50c. per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Market, steady. Jumbos, 60c; fancy hand picked, 55c; No. 1, machine picked, 50c per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts — Market weaker; No. 1, small, machine picked, 65c.; Jumbos, 60c. per bushel.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Sept. 12.—Spanish—Market, weak, 90c to 92½c. per bushel. and 90c bid.

Virginia—Farmers' Stock, market quiet. Fancy Jumbo, 3½c per lb.; Fancy Handpicked, 3¼c per lb.; Extra Prime, 3c per lb.; Prime, 2¾c per lb.; Shelling stock, 2c to 2½c per lb.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET

New York, Sept. 12.—Cotton seed oil was fairly active with prices higher, despite the decline in lard, owing to light crude offerings and bull support. Final prices were 3 to 5 points net higher. Sales 25,000 barrels. Close steady. Spot 9.75@10.00; January, 9.83@9.84; February, 9.83@9.985; March, 10.08@10.09; April, 10.10@10.25; September, 9.75@9.95; October, 8.85@9.90; November, 9.72@9.74; December, 9.75@9.78.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, September 12. — Hogs—Weak, at 5c. advance. Bulk, 9.85@10.30; ligth, 9.90@11.20; mixed, 9.70@11.20; heavy, 9.60@11.10; rough, 9.60@9.80; pigs, 6.60@9.65.

Cattle—Weak. Native beef cattle, 6.40@11.20; western steers, 6.00@9.25; stockers, 4.60@7.45; cows and heifers, 3.40@9.20; calves, 8.50@13.00.

Sheep—Weak. Wethers, 6.90@8.50; ewes, 4.00@8.10; lambs, 7.25@11.40.

Meyers-Hutchison-Wiest.

"A Girl, Two Lads and a Piano" in a brand new act—Victoria today.
(Advertisement).

STOCKS ABNORMALLY ACTIVE

Turnover for the Day Goes far Beyond the Million Share Mark—Gains in Leading Shares.

New York, Sept. 12.—For the sixth consecutive full session and the 12th time this year, today's stock market was lashed into a state of abnormal activity, with a turnover far beyond the million share mark.

The trading especially during the first hour, which witnessed an overturn of almost half a million shares comprehended almost every class of stock but centered mainly on United States Steel, the coppers—notably American Smelting, Mercantile Marine, Mexican Petroleum, and the better known industrials.

Gains of one, two and three points in leading shares, rails excepted, were general, while stocks stocks selling at prohibitive prices like Bethlehem Steel and General Motors were higher by 25 to 33 points. General Motors selling at the new maximum of 642. New records were established also by steel on the rise of 1 5-8 to 105 3-4 and Atlantic, Gulf and West Indies, which advanced 5 1-2 to 89 1-2. Sugars, the paper and rubber groups, fertilizers, Petroleums and a few of the munitions and equipments were 1 to 3 points higher, International Paper preferred making a gross gain of 9 at 100.

Shipping shares moved contrarily. In the final hour, irregular declines of one to two points from the best prices became more or less general. Total sales of stocks amounted to 1,250,000 shares.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $3,570,000. United States coupon 4s advanced 1-8 per cent on call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers	25
American Beet Sugar	93⅝
American Can	64⅞
American Car and Foundry	83⅜
American Cotton Oil	53¼
American Locomotive	78⅛
American Smelting	107
American Sugar	111⅝
American Tel. and Tel	122⅝
American Tobacco	221
American Zinc	35⅝
Anaconda Copper	88⅝
Atchison	103⅞
Atlantic Coast Line	B.111
Baldwin Locomotive	83⅝
Baltimore and Ohio	86
Bethlehem Steel	524¼
Canadian Pacific	176½
Central Leather	62⅝
Chesapeake and Ohio	61¼
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	92½
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry	17
Consolidated Gas	136¼
Corn Products	15⅝
Crucible Steel	84¾
Erie	37½
General Electric	171⅝
Great Northern, pfd	116⅝
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	42¼
Goodrich	72¾
Illinois Central	101
Int. Mer. Marine, pfd. ctfs	121¼
Kansas City Southern	24½
Lehigh Valley	79
Louisville and Nashville	B.128
Liggett and Meyers	B.280
Lorillard Co	B.235
Maxwell Motors	52⅝
Missouri, Kan. and Tex., pfd	10
Mo. Pac	4⅛
Mexican Petroleum	112⅝
National Lead	67⅝
New York Central	104⅝
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	58
Norfolk and Western	129
Northern Pacific	109⅝
Pennsylvania	55⅝
Reading	110⅝
Rep. Iron and Steel	66⅝
Seaboard Air Line	B. 15⅛
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	B. 35
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	58¼
Studebaker Corporation	123¾
Southern Pacific	97⅞
Southern Railway	23⅝
Southern Railway, pfd	66⅞
Tennessee Copper	26⅝
Texas Co	202½
Texas and Pacific	B. 9½
Union Pacific	140⅝
United Fruit	104⅛
United States Rubber	61
United States Steel	104¾
United States Steel, pfd	118⅞
Utah Copper	87⅜
Virginia Carolina-Chemical	87⅝
Virginia Iron, Coal and Coke	51
Wabash Pfd. "B"	26⅝
Western Union	97
Westinghouse Electric	62⅝
Kennacott Copper	53⅝

Total sales for the day 1,346,600 shares.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, September 12. — Beeves, no trading. Calves, steady; veals, 9.50@15.00; culls, 8.00@9.00; grassers and skim milk calves, 7.50@8.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Steady. Sheep, ewes, 5.50@7.50; culls, 3.00; lambs, 11.60@12.25.

Hogs—Easy. Prime hogs, 11.30; rough, 9.50@9.75.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES

Savannah, Sept. 12.—Turpentine dull, 45; sales, none; receipts, 548; shipments, 89; stock, 23,879.

Rosin firm; sales, 1,757; receipts, 1,991; shipments, 885; stock, 83,637; Quote: A, B, C, D, 5.85; E, 5.90; F, 6.15; G, 6.20; H, I, 6.25; K, M, 6.30; N, 6.40; W. G., 650; W. W., 6.75.

REV. W. M. CRAIG WELCOMED

Greeted by Large Audiences at Kinston on First Sunday There.

Kinston, N. C., Sept. 12.—Rev. W. Marshall Craig, formerly with the First Baptist church, of Wilmington, began his service as pastor of the First Baptist church of Kinston, Sunday, and it was a big and joyous day for the congregation, according to members of the church. He was greeted by an unusually large audienc at the morning service and at night the large church auditorium was packed. Many are the words of praise for the young preacher from members of all denominations. It is predicted that he will more than make good here. He has been given a typical Kinston welcome.

Mr. Craig, in preliminary remarks, emphasized the fact that, while he came to Kinston first to serve Christ, his next thought was to serve the church, the city, the country at large, and all denominations—bringing at all times the gospel of Christ.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

September 13, 1916.

Meteorological data for the day ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 86 degrees; at 8 P. M., 71 degrees; maximum, 74 degrees; minimum, 63 degrees; mean, 68 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .02 inch; rainfal for the month, to date, 3.44 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. yesterday, 6.7 feet.

STORM WARNING

Washington, D. C., Sept. 12.—Hoist northeast storm warning 9 a. m., Virginia Capes to Jupiter, Florida. Disturbance over Bahamas will probably move north-northwest and be attended by east to north gales off South Atlantic coast during next thirty-six hours. Caution advised. BOWIE.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Rain Wednesday and probably Thursday.

The Port Calendar, Sept. 13, 1916.

Sun rises .. .. 5.54 A. M.
Sun sets .. .. 6:22 P. M.
Day's length .. .. 12 hrs. 28 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	10:37	10:56	5:57	6:05
Southport	8:24	9:02	3:34	3:59
Masonboro Inl	8:33	8:51	2:14	2:39

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS

September 12, 1916.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 8 P.M.
		Temperature:		
Abilene	cldy	80	66	.0
Asheville	cldy	72	50	.0
Atlanta	cldy	78	56	.0
Augusta	cldy	82	60	.0
Baltimore	cldy	74	—	.0
Birmingh.	clear	82	60	.0
Boston	clear	76	48	.0
Charleston	cldy	78	64	.01
Charlotte	cldy	76	54	.0
Chicago	cldy	84	72	.0
Galveston	pt cldy	88	82	.36
Jacksonv.	rain	94	66	1.18
Memphis	cldy	76	72	.0
Mobile	clear	86	70	.0
Montgom'y	clear	90	62	.0
New Orl.	clear	84	74	.01
New York	clear	70	58	.0
Oklahoma	cldy	74	58	.58
Palestine	cldy	92	74	.0
Pittsburg	clear	78	53	.0
Raleigh	cldy	78	56	.0
Savannah	pt cldy	78	62	.0
Shreveport	cldy	96	72	.58
St. Louis	cldy	90	72	.52
St. Louis	cldy	78	70	.01
Washing'n	clear	78	52	.0

DRY GOODS MARKET

New York, Sept. 12.—Cotton goods were steady today with trade active in heavy goods. Yarns were exceedingly firm. Fine men's wear worsteds in fancy weaves were more active. Silks were active.

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NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, rendered in the cause entitled Jos. W. Little, Administrator, cum testamento annexo, of Mrs. Fannie G. Pritchard, deceased, vs. Thomas W. Pritchard et al, the undersigned commissioner will on Friday, 13th day of October, 1916, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the court house door, Wilmington, North Carolina, offer for sale, and sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to wit: Lots 1, 10, 13, 26, 26½, 28, 8, 9, 35½, 23, 33½, 34, 34½, 35, 2, 3, 4, 5, 29, 30, 31, and 32, said property being parts and parcels of what is known as Villa View property as recorded in book 53, page 563 at sequitor, office of Register of Deeds, New Hanover County.

This the 13th day of September, 1916.

JOS. W. LITTLE,
C. C. CASHWELL, Commissioner.
Attorney.
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SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

Effective Monday, September 11th, 1916, Southern Railway announces the present Winston-Salem-Beaufort-Morehead City Pullman Sleeping Car line will be shortened to Winston-Salem-Goldsboro. Pullman Sleeping Car line. This car will leave Winston-Salem at 8:50 P. M. same as at present, and arrive Goldsboro following morning, returning car will leave Goldsboro 10:35 P. M., arriving Winston-Salem following morning.

Present Greensboro-Raleigh Pullman Sleeping Car line will continue to operate.

For full details, reservations, etc., address

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NOTICE!

Annual Meeting Stockholders

The regular Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the American Bank and Trust Co. for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors, and for any other business that may come before the meeting will be held on the 12th day of September, 1916, at 12:00 o'clock, in the Directors' room, No. 76 Trust Building, Wilmington, N. C.

CHAS. E. BETHEA,
Cashier.

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ARCHITECT
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Tuesday, September 26th
via.
SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY CO.

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Jacksonville	$ 8.00	Tampa	$10.50
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Excursion to Florida Tues., Sept. 26

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Burgaw, N. C.	$8.00	$10.50	$11.50
Chadbourn, N. C.	$7.80	$10.00	$11.00
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Fayetteville, N. C.	$8.00	$10.50	$11.50
Goldsboro, N. C.	$8.00	$10.50	$11.50
Jacksonville, N. C.	$8.70	$11.20	$12.20
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Newbern, N. C.	$9.00	$11.50	$12.50
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The Standard Railroad of the South.

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Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington, Effective Sept. 11, 1916. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90 3:40 A.M. Daily except Sunday.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad.	No. 91 1:15 A.M. Daily except Monday.
No. 81 8:30 A.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia open to receive outbound passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied, inbound, until 7:00 A. M.	No. 85 12:30 A.M. Daily.
No. 64 5:15 A.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65 6:15 P.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only.
No. 48 8:40 A.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains having Pullman service.	Daily No. 49 6:05 P.M.
No. 58 9:45 A.M. Daily.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52 5:00 P.M. Daily.
No. 62 3:25 P.M. Daily	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate stations.	No. 63 12:50 P.M. Daily
No. 88 3:45 P.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Columbia, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida points. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta. Sleeping cars daily between Florence and Columbia, which may be occupied at Columbia until 7:00 A. M.	No. 54 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 55 6:30 P.M. Tuesday, Thursday and Sat. only.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60 10:15 A.M. Tuesday, Thursday and Sat. only.
No. 42 6:45 P.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, carrying dining cars; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41 9:30 A.M. Daily.

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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE
Effective September 5, 1916.

Lv. Wilmington	Leave Beach.
! 6.25 A. M.	! 6.05 A. M.
	* 6.40 "
6.55 "	! 7.10 "
! 7.25 "	7.40 "
! 8.00 "	! 8.15 "
8.30 "	! 8.45 "
10.00 "	9.15 "
11.30 "	10.45 "
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9.15 "	8.50 "
10.15 "	9.50 "
11.15 "	10.50 "
12.10 A. M.	11.50 "

! Daily, except Sunday. * Sunday only.

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DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAYS

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Lv. Beach, 12:15 P. M., 5:15 P. M.
Freight Office Open from 8:00 A. M. to 9:30 A. M. and from 2:00 P. M. to 3:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS

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No. 19—5:00 A. M.—Train for Charlotte and Intermediate Points. SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND CHARLOTTE. Open at 10:00 P. M., for Passengers.

ARRIVAL OF TRAINS AT WILMINGTON:

No. 14—12:40 P. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. PULLMAN PARLOR CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON.

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No. 20—12:10 A. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON. PASSENGERS MAY REMAIN IN SLEEPER UNTIL 7:00 A. M.

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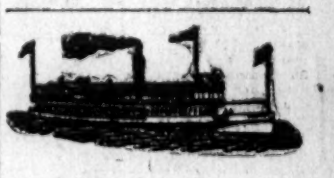

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DR. STOVALL ELECTED AS COUNTY PHYSICIAN

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inspector and clerk to the Board of Health at the same figure.

All of the members of the Board of Health were present at the meeting yesterday. The only other matters taken up were the reading of the monthly reports.

Dr. Thames reported that all the county institutions are in a good condition and are kept as sanitary as circumstances will permit. No acute sickness has occurred during the past month anmong either the inmates or prisoners. All chronic diseases have been cared for in a proper way. No changes were noticed in the rural school houses and grounds except that a deep well has been sunk at the Masonboro school that gives a plentiful supply of water. A well is needed at the Castle Haynes school. The septic tanks are giving satisfaction and where properly installed are in excellent condition.

Mr. George F. Catlett, director of the laboratory, reported that the city water during the past month showed no evidence of pollution. The raw water has been high in color during the month and rather difficult to treat, but has shown a very satisfactory quality.

The report of Dr. T. B. Carroll, meat and milk inspector, for the past month, is as follows:

"I made 29 inspections of dairies and dairy farms, and with one exception the sanitary conditions and health of cattle and attendants were good. Following are the bacterial counts and butter fat tests of the milk supply for the month.

	Per Cent Fat	Bacteria Per c. c.
Echo Farm	4.1	6,000
L. L. Newell	4.1	7,000
C. H. Darden	4.6	10,000
Cape Fear Dairy	4.4	10,000
Holland Dairy	3.6	10,000
Barlow Bros.	4.5	11,000
D. F. Klein Sons	3.7	11,000
P. Wildeboer	3.5	14,000
A. G. Warren	3.9	19,000
E. C. Craft	4.8	43,000
A. Ahrens	2.3	44,000
H. A. DeCover	3.8	49,000
H. C. Blake	3.7	49,000
Elmhurst Dairy	5.6	55,000
W. Leeuweburg	2.2	59,000
C. Rogers	4.4	62,000
W. M. Collins	5.0	90,000
J. W. Lennon	4.0	90,000
D. E. Kerr	3.8	106,000
W. R. Vann	4.4	110,000
Midway Dairy	5.0	160,000
W. A. Spencer	4.0	225,000
M. Schnibben	4.2	347,000
H. L. Kidd	4.4	355,000
G. Johnson	5.0	813,000

"I made 610 post examinations of fresh slaughtered meats as follows: 205 cattle, 93 calves, 208 sheep, 2 hogs, and 2 goats, with one beef condemned as unfit for food purposes."

Mr. E. Piner, chief of the sanitary police, reported that during the month there were 14,942 inspections made, 1,240 closets condemned and made while the number reported by Mr. Holton was 1,436.

Miss Christine Pinner, public health nurse, reported that she visited 167 homes, cared for 59 infants, attended eight clinics, fed 44 infants from milk station and furnished 3,632 feedings.

Mr. H. R. Aiken, food inspector, made 279 inspections of food and soft drink establishments and in addition graded and scored 96 such places. The food inspection scores for the month follow:

Ice cream factories—A. G. Warren 90.5; J. W. Plummer 84.6; The Frost Co. 83.5; Woodall & Sheppard 72; Xanthos Bros. 68.5; Mathews' 68; M. Paturis 64.7; Saffo Bros. 64; Jeff Zonnes 62.3; Washington Candy Store 60; North Pole Confectionery 59.5; N. Patelos 59; Angelus & Pipos 58; John Phillips 57.5; S. Aivoliotos 55.

Meat markets—New Way 94; Nurnberger's 93.5; Davis & Hintze 91; C. O. Knox 85; Batson's 84.5; Pure Food 82; O. H. Kennedy 80; J. L. Middleton 79.8; J. F. Sellars 79.5; People's Market 79.5; V. W. Sidbury & Son 76; Mrs. M. T. Madrin 75.1; L. L. Shepard 69.8; Wilkins & Marshburn 69.5; Todd Bros 66.

Groceries—Hall & Ross 94.5; Wilmington Grocery Co. 89.9; Thomas Grocery Co. 87; Albert Steljes 85; Rankin Grocery Co. 85; Atkinson 84; Sanders 83.5; People's Supply 82.6; B. B. Bryan 82.5; C. H. Bornemann 80.3; Jurgen Haar 80; E. S. Bannerman (Market St.) 75; H. M. Tiencken 74; John F. McInnis 71.2; L. Southerland 70; Chas. E. Collins 69; J. E. Marshburn 89; E. E. Russ 65; H. W. Konig 62.

Delicatessen—B. May 80.

Dairy lunch—The Center 94.2.

Soda fountains—United Cigar Stores Co. 96.3; The Center 95.8; Elvington's 94.9; Wilmington Cigar Co. 94.5; Payne Drug Co. 94.2; Chas. F. Green 93.4; Mission Pharmacy 92.9; J. F. Jarman 92.2; Woodall & Shepard 90.6; Mathew's 90.2; Newman's 90; Hanover Drug Co. 90; Plummer's 89.1; Baxter Tobacco Co. 87; Warren's 83.9; E. M. Cheek 83.3; Starkey Bros. 80.6; Bunting's 80.5; Shepard Cigar Co. 77.6.

Ice cream parlors and confectioneries—N. Kostelos 94.5; Xanthos Bros. 87.9; Atlantic Confectionery 80; M. Mansuras 77; Ideal Confectionery 76; Saffo Bros. 75.6; N. Patelos 72.2; John Phillips 71.4; North Pole Confectionery 71; Washington Candy Store 68.5; Angelus & Pipos 66.8; S. Aivoliotos 63.9; M. Paturis 58.6; Jeff Zonnes 57.3.

Restaurants—Newman's 91.7; Gieschen Bros. 85.9; Olympia 82.5; Star 82.2; New York 82; Dixie 81.9; Royal 81; Coast Line 78.3; Crumpler & Scott 77.9; Savage & Savage 76.1.

Bakeries—Globe 81; Farris 89; Royal 86.8.

Fish stalls—R. C. Fergus 78.5; O. R. King 77.5.

FOR VIOLATING INJUNCTION

Atlantic Coast Line Fined at Wilson for Contempt of Court.

Wilson, N. C., Sept. 12.—Last spring M. C. Cobb, of near Elm City, Wilson county, secured an injunction against the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Co. restraining them from throwing rock from blastings from the quarry in the vicinity of his home. For the first offense Judge Whedbee fined the railroad company $100. Last Wednesday the company jointly with Mr. Hall, of the firm of Boxley and Company, operating the quarry, were cited for contempt for violating the injunction and were fined $200.

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TRINITY COLLEGE OPENS WITH DORMITORIES FILLED

More Than 500 Students Present on Opening Day—Largest Number Yet.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Trinity College, Durham, Sept. 12.—Amid a gathering of over five hundred students Trinity College began its sixty-fourth session here this morning.

The assembling of new and old students began a few minutes before 9 o'clock around the vicinity of the college flag staff. The members of the class of 1917, who are to constitute this year's graduating class, gathered around the flag pole; and promptly at 9 o'clock, pursuant of the general custom, the class raised the college flag to the top of the staff. This event was symbolic of the opening of another college year.

Immediately after the raising of the flag, the students convened in the Craven Memorial Hall for the first chapel exercises of the year. Among the features of the morning services many of the Durham pastors gave personal invitations to new and old students to attend their several churches. Both Trinity College and Trinity Park school students were in attendance upon the initial occasion.

The annual reception to the entering class given annually under the auspices of the Trinity Y. M. C. A. will be held this year on the evening of Wednesday, September 20. This event aims primarily to helping old and new students to get acquainted with each other, for all members of the college community are expected to attend the social. Also this mutual gathering, which in itself is purely informal, affords the new students a splendid opportunity for becoming acquainted with college life in general.

With all available space in every dormitory signed for Trinity anticipates the largest student body in her history. Already about five hundred new and old men have arrived, and more are coming in on practically every train. Dormitory rooms that have heretofore been used for storage purposes have been fitted up for student use. The outlook for a most successful year is exceedingly bright.

SUPPOSED POSTOFFICE ROBBER ARRESTED AT ROCKY MOUNT

Young Man Was Offering Stamps at Reduced Prices—Confesses?

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., Sept. 12.—Attempting the sale of postage stamps at reduced prices aroused the suspicion of Officer Henry Hedgepeth, of the local police force, and this afternoon Arthur Barrett, a young man who declares that his home is in Rutherfordton, was placed under arrest and later confessed that he was a postoffice robber, so the police say. The man is being held in the city lockup pending the arrival of a representative of the Federal government.

Young Barrett, upon being interrogated by the police, so they say, declared that he only recently robbed a small postoffice on the Norfolk Southern railroad between Raleigh and Wilson and that he did not know the name of the town. He is said to have declared to the police that the suit of clothes which he was wearing was taken from the parcel post in the office and that a small amount of stamps in books were taken.

The man arrived in the city yesterday from Wilson and had today secured a job at the Rocky Mount Mills and was preparing to go to work there at the noon hour today when the police interfered and he was placed under arrest. Police here generally believe that the postoffice robbed was that of Zebulon.

THREE TROOPS BOY SCOUTS

Growth of Movement in Fayetteville Made Division Necessary.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Fayetteville, Sept. 12.—The growth of the Boy Scout movement in Fayetteville is illustrated by action which has just been taken by the local organization, in the dividing of the troop organized six months ago—which had grown until it reached upwards of 100 members—into three bodies, troops 1, 2 and 3. Troop No. 1 will be in charge of John C. McAllister as scoutmaster. James Parker will have charge of troop No. 3, while Scoutmaster Louis T. Wilds, Jr., who organized the original troop last March, will retain charge of No. 2. Mr. Wilds, who is pastor of the Highland Presbyterian church, has been very successful in the Scout work and is an ideal scoutmaster. Mr. McAllister is very popular among the boys and is an energetic worker. He has had experience in boys work in Wilmington and has made himself solid with the boys of Fayetteville by the work he has done in fitting up the Eccles Park playground. Mr. Parker has had valuable military training at Donaldson and A. & M. and was formerly an active scout. He is the type of young man much desired in the scout work.

MUNITION WORKERS THREATEN STRIKE IN RALEIGH PLANT

Raleigh Iron Works, in Receiver's Hands, Has More Trouble.

(Special Star Telegram).

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 12.—Munition workers in the Raleigh Iron Works, which has large contracts for war munitions, both for the United States government and the Allies, are threatening to strike unless there is an advance in wages allowed. The plant is being operated by receivers and a special meeting of the creditors is called for September 19 to take action.

The indications are that there will be an increase allowed, although the affairs of the company exact the largest possible net even to get the concern back on its feet.

WILL SERVE CHURCH A MONTH

Rev. R. L. Wharton Acting Pastor Fayetteville Presbyterian.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fayetteville, Sept. 12.—Rev. R. L. Wharton, a missionary, who is at home from the mission field of Cuba, has consented for the next month to take charge of the First Presbyterian church of this city, which has been without a pastor since the first of May, when Rev. Watson M. Fairley left for El Paso, Tex., to become pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian church there. Mr. Wharton preached two strong sermons to the congregation of the First church Sunday. He expressed his pleasure at being able to act as pastor of the church during the period stated and asked the congregation to call on him at any time.

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